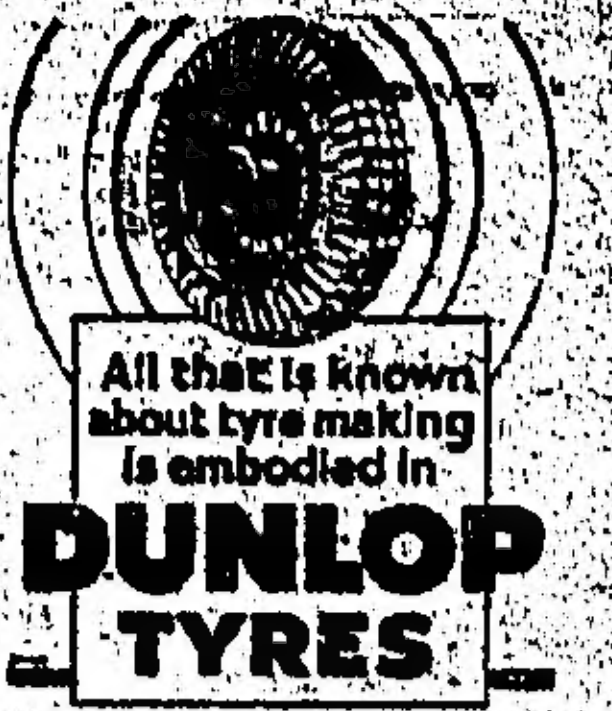


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	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.
Kowloon Dep.	6.25	8.15	8.37	9.05	9.18	10.12	11.30	12.15	1.20	2.30	4.55
Yauwalei Dep.	6.33	8.23	8.45	9.13	9.26	10.20	11.38	12.23	1.28	2.38	5.03
Shatin Dep.	6.45	8.35	8.57	9.25	9.38	10.32	11.50	12.35	1.40	2.50	5.15
Taipo Dep.	6.59	8.49	9.11	9.39	9.52	10.46	12.04	12.49	1.54	3.04	5.29
Taipo Market Dep.	7.04	8.54	9.16	9.44	9.57	10.50	12.08	12.53	2.03	3.13	5.39
Fauling Dep.	7.16	9.06	9.28	9.56	10.09	11.02	12.20	13.05	2.15	3.25	5.51
Shungshui Dep.	7.20	9.10	9.32	10.00	10.13	11.06	12.24	13.09	2.19	3.29	5.55
Shumshui Arr.	7.26	9.16	9.38	10.06	10.19	11.12	12.30	13.15	2.25	3.35	6.01
Canton Arr.	11.26	1.16	1.38	2.06	2.19	3.12	4.30	5.15	6.25	7.35	8.45

DOWN TRAINS											
STATIONS	No. 1	No. 5	No. 9	No. 13	No. 17	No. 21	No. 25	No. 29	No. 33	No. 37	No. 41
	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.	A.M.
Canton Dep.	8.00	9.50	10.10	10.40	11.10	12.00	1.00	2.00	3.00	4.00	5.00
Shumshui Dep.	7.52	9.42	10.02	10.32	11.02	11.52	1.08	2.08	3.08	4.08	5.08
Shungshui Dep.	7.44	9.34	9.54	10.24	10.54	11.44	1.10	2.10	3.10	4.10	5.10
Fauling Dep.	7.36	9.26	9.46	10.16	10.46	11.36	1.12	2.12	3.12	4.12	5.12
Taipo Market Dep.	7.28	9.18	9.38	10.08	10.38	11.28	1.14	2.14	3.14	4.14	5.14
Taipo Dep.	7.20	9.10	9.30	10.00	10.30	11.20	1.16	2.16	3.16	4.16	5.16
Shatin Dep.	7.12	9.02	9.22	9.52	10.22	11.12	1.18	2.18	3.18	4.18	5.18
Yauwalei Dep.	7.04	8.54	9.14	9.44	10.14	11.04	1.20	2.20	3.20	4.20	5.20
Kowloon Arr.	8.02	9.52	10.12	10.42	11.12	12.02	1.02	2.02	3.02	4.02	5.02

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BOMBARDMENT OF KAILU

CHINESE PROTEST AGAINST JAPAN'S ACTIONS.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

NANKING, Jan. 29.
THE Waichiaopu has forwarded a note to the Japanese Government protesting against the Japanese bombardment of Kailu, in north-eastern Jehol, and demanding that Japan's war-like operations there immediately cease.

THE DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE

JAPAN MAY WITHDRAW FROM PARLEY.

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

THE Nishi Nishi reports that Lt.-General Tatakawa, Japan's military delegate to the Disarmament Conference, has cabled his view to the War Office that it would serve no practical purpose to participate further in the parley, if the League should proceed with paragraph IV. of Article XV. and adopt a report unacceptable to Japan. He added that in this event he would withdraw from the Disarmament Conference with Mr. Matsudaira, Japan's chief delegate.

The paper says that Mr. Matsudaira himself has referred the same matter to the Foreign Office for instructions.

JAPAN'S NAVAL PROGRAMME

ADMIRAL OSUMI EXPLAINS

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

TOKYO, Jan. 29.
CLARIFYING his statement to the Diet on January 24, the Navy Minister, in a Press interview, declared that details of the entire second Naval Replenishment Programme had not yet been decided on, but the part for which approval is now asked will only involve construction of one submarine depot ship, and two submarine chasers, totalling approximately Yen 15,000,000.

No increase in the naval air-arm beyond the programme fixed after the London Conference is contemplated, says the Navy Minister, Admiral Osumi, who also took the occasion to categorically deny the report the navy construction of a submarine base and an air-field in the mandate islands.

He stated the ports were being built for commercial purposes, but indicated the navy was not connected therewith.

DEPOSITS IN ENGLISH BANKS

BIG INCREASE REPORTED

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

LONDON, Jan. 27.
AN outstanding feature of the five principal English banks, which have now been published, is the unprecedented growth in deposits, which now stand at £1,773,278,000 showing an increase of £208,368,715 on last year.

This increase has been achieved in spite of a reduction of £110,362,156 in the advances, which ordinarily would have involved a similar reduction in deposits.

AMATEUR SOCCER

SCOTLAND BEAT IRELAND

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

GLASGOW, Jan. 29.
IN the Amateur Soccer match between Scotland and Ireland at Glasgow, Scotland beat Ireland 2-1.

BRITISH TRADE PROSPECTS

NEVILLE CHAMBERLAIN IN OPTIMISTIC MOOD

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

LONDON, Jan. 29.
1933 is beginning with better prospects, according to Mr. Neville Chamberlain, who in a speech at Birmingham struck a note of optimism, based on signs of improvement in the cotton, steel and shipbuilding trades.

The consumption of cotton had increased nine per cent. in England last year.

There was still need of fortitude, however, for there would be no relief in taxation at the expense of an unbalanced budget, the consequences of which would be far more disagreeable than a short continuance of burdens.

He also stated that an international agreement remained an essential to Britain's return to the gold standard.

BETTER CONDITIONS IN BRITAIN

MUCH IMPROVED SINCE 1931

[BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.]

LONDON, Jan. 27.
MR. KEGINALD McKENNA, Chairman of the Midland Bank, in his address at the shareholders' annual meeting, described the conditions in Britain to-day as being distinctly better than a year ago, notwithstanding the persistence of the high level of unemployment.

"Our national finances are sounder and a marked reduction has been made in the balance of imports over exports. The volume of business has been fairly maintained, new industries have been established, and though exchange and other restrictions are stifling trade with foreign countries, there are signs of steady development of inter-imperial trade," he said.

"This improvement has not been helped by events abroad. Hopes arising from the Lausanne Conference have vanished in the face of disappointment regarding the payment of war debts to America," he concluded.

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IRISH FREE STATE ELECTIONS

DE VALERA ASSURED OF MAJORITY

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

DUBLIN, Jan. 29.
FOLLOWING are the final figures of the Irish Free State Election:—

De Valera	77
Cosgrave Party	48
Independent	3
Labour	3
Centre Party	11
Ind. Labour	1

DUBLIN, Jan. 29.
With 78 results yet to be declared, President Eamon De Valera needs only one more seat to have a majority over all parties in the new Irish Dail.

Latest reports show that Fianna Fail candidates have secured 68 seats against the Nationalist Party's 41. This relative strength is not expected to be materially altered.

With Mr. De Valera's return assured, speculation is rife as to the move he will make regarding the Oath of Allegiance. Considerable anxiety is felt in British official circles as it is considered almost certain that he will abolish the Oath and possibly force a complete split with Great Britain.

Ireland is also anxiously speculating as to what use he will make of his majority. The partition question is on all lips.

Many say that Mr. De Valera will ask the Nationalist members of the Dail to sit in the country districts where the Fianna Fail will have a complete split with Britain by declaring a Republic.

The other half of the community hope that Mr. De Valera's success will induce him to maintain the tendency towards caution which he has recently exhibited.

The state of the Parties at 2 a.m. yesterday was:—

Fianna Fail	68
Nationalists	41
Centre Party	10
Independents	8
Labour	7
Independent Labour	1

IN HONG KONG TO-DAY

FINE TO CLOUDY

YESTERDAY'S WEATHER REPORT, FORECAST AND REMARKS, ISSUED BY THE ROYAL OBSERVATORY AT 6.45 P.M., STATED:—

THE ANTI-CYCLONE REMAINS CENTRAL OVER THE LOWER YANGTZE VALLEY, BUT HAS DECREASED SLIGHTLY IN INTENSITY. FRESH MONSOON WILL CONTINUE ALONG THE CHINA COAST AND OVER THE NORTHERN CHINA SEA.

FORECAST:—N.E. WINDS; FRESH; FINE TO CLOUDY.

Eighteen results are not yet announced.

The position of the parties at the dissolution was: Fianna Fail, 70; Labour, 7; Total De Valera vote 77; Cumann Na nGaedheal, 41; Independent Labour, 3; total Cosgrave, 71. Four seats were vacant pending bye-elections.

Record Figures.
The polling at the Irish General Election reached record figures, and although there were no serious disorders, the police had to maintain a strict watch at the polling booths. Minor clashes occurred, however, at Cork and Dublin, owing to this action and in one instance the militia had to be called in to quell a hostile crowd. Thirty arrests were made.

Dr. De Valera headed returns throughout the election, and although at times the fortunes of his party fluctuated, the ultimate outcome was never in doubt.

De Valera's Policy Fixed.

The state of the parties at 1.30 p.m. was:—
Fianna Fail 68
Nationalists 41
Centre Party 10
Independents 8
Labour 7
Independent Labour 1

Labour's Valera in a message to the Party organ, declares that a National policy has now been definitely determined, and he appeals to all citizens for goodwill to co-operate in the task of restoring the country to its former greatness. "Making it a happy and worthy home for all our people."

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**THINGS PEOPLE
LOSE**A SNAKE, THREE VILLAS
AND A WORKHOUSELondon.—Three villas and a work-
house are now waiting for their
owners in the Lost Property Office
of a London railway terminus.The keepers of the Lost Property
Office are phlegmatic men, used to
guarding anything from a turkey to
a rusty motor-bicycle. At Christ-
mas they are embowered in holly,
they collect Christmas trees and
poultry. They expect to receive
hats and gloves and watches. They
do not flicker an eyelid at a bunch
of bank notes.But three villas and a workhouse
come very rarely indeed. They will
go down in railway records side by
side with the thirty-gallon cistern,
the vacuum cleaner, and the live
snake, three of the things which
have bewildered cloakroom officials
have had to grapple in recent years.The house property in question is
not solid bricks and mortar. It is a
snare set, painted rather crudely,
and belongs no doubt, to some tour-
ing pantomime or revue. Its owners
must have grown tired of it during
the journey, for they left it in the
van, and it is now resting dejectedly
far from the footlights, in a
thicket of forgotten hats and sticks
and coats and gloves.Apart from this, the Lost Property
Office at the main London termi-
nal, and at the St. James's Park
Underground Station, report a
quiet Christmas. Although to some
people a railway journey is still a
sleep and a forgetting, few have
distinguished themselves this year
by leaving behind more than the
orthodox stick or coat.**Piles of Poultry.**Indeed, much of the property now
in store remains there, because it is
what the Post Office would call
"insufficiently addressed."—In
other words, because it has no label
or direction of any kind.The offices have many unlabelled
turkeys, geese, fowls, and pheasants
— "perishable goods" that are sold
unless claimed in a few days. They
also have shelves of walking sticks,
piles of suitcases, and umbrellas of
all sorts, sizes, and conditions, some
going back, one imagines, to the
time of James Hanway himself.Other property includes a con-
signement of small Christmas trees,
in box of chrysanthemums, and a
sack containing 18 holly wreaths.
The offices could do an excellent
business in gloves and mackin-
toshes.Travellers this Christmas have
forgotten also hams and hysenths,
hockey sticks and tennis rackets.Many of these things will go to
the next sale of "railway lost prop-
erty." And it is probable that the
same sale will include three villas
and a workhouse—freehold, in excel-
lent condition, and with vacant pos-
session.**WORK SCHEMES IN
GERMANY**Credits Extended to
£25,000,000**IMMEDIATE START URGED**Berlin, Dec. 22.—The German
Commissioner for stimulating em-
ployment, Dr. Gereke, has pro-
posed immediate steps to provide
increased employment through the
extension of credits to the value
of five hundred million marks
(£25,000,000 at par) to the munici-
palities and rural communes for
undertakings which can be begun
at once.The five hundred million marks
are included in the 2,700,000,000
marks which was named by the
Government and the President of
the Reichsbank as the limit of pos-
sible credit extension when the von
Papen economic programme was
promulgated at the beginning of
September.The difficulty seems to be to per-
suade business men to take up the
credits. Little advantage has been
taken of the premiums for the em-
ployment of extra labour in the
shape of advanced tax receipts.Only this morning a further in-
crease of the number of unemploy-
ed in the first half of December by
250,000 to a total of 5,600,000 was
made public.Dr. Gereke hopes to secure that
the credits will be made full use of
by the municipalities.**DEFENCE OF INDIA**

Task of the Small Army

PROBLEM OF CHANGES IN
CONSTITUTIONThe total population of India is,
approximately 351 millions, or
about one-fifth of the whole world,
while British India has nearly 21
times the population of the United
States, and some 30 millions more
than the aggregate of the 20 Euro-
pean States whose areas could be
included in her borders.In the matter of defence, India
presents a problem that is peculiar
to that country. For external de-
fence and internal security, India
has an Army of approximately
224,000. Of that number 80,000 are
British troops. The aggregate total
of armed strength for the 20 Euro-
pean countries which occupy the
same area as India is 3,229,710.The North-West Frontier has al-
ways called for a substantial armed
guard. Notwithstanding the teen-
ing population of India, compara-
tively small forces have from time
to time successfully invaded the
country. The primary duty of the
British Army in India is to protect
the country from a repetition of
raids.A secondary, but still an impor-
tant, duty of the British garrison is
that of providing security internal-
ly. It is during communal troubles,
often fomented by religious quar-
rels, that the British soldier does
the work of the policeman. The
defence of India is an Imperial re-
sponsibility and no withdrawal of
British troops can be contemplated
until the day dawn—and it is
feared that that time is exceedingly
remote—when the Pathans and the
Bengalis, the Sikhs and the Madrasi,
and other of the many nations in-
habiting the Indian continent, can
live together amicably.Of the religious communities in
India there are, in British India,
165 million Hindus and 55 million
Mohammedans, and in the Indian
States, 53 million Hindus and 9
million Mohammedans. Hindus
and Mohammedans combined ac-
count for 224 millions out of the
319 millions of India. The balance,
classified by reference to religion,
are made up of Buddhists (1,572,
000), Christians (4,754,000), Sikhs
(3,230,000), Jains (1,170,000), Par-
sies (102,000), and others (9,815,
000).**Populations and Forces.**The following table shows the
populations of India (excluding
Burma, which covers an area of
230,000 square miles), and the gov-
ernment countries which in combination
make up the same area as India,
together with the armed strength of
each:

Country.	Population.	Army.
INDIA	351,450,000	224,000
Albania	1,033,067	13,400
Austria	6,722,000	30,000
Belgium	5,130,000	21,400
Bulgaria	5,000,000	20,000
Czechoslovakia	14,728,000	150,000
Estonia	1,117,000	13,533
France	41,400,000	362,187
Germany	65,539,000	105,000
Great Britain	46,635,000	154,915
Hungary	8,853,700	34,803
Irish Free State	2,945,000	6,055
Italy	41,435,000	462,281
Latvia	1,910,000	25,200
Lithuania	2,367,000	17,833
Holland	7,930,000	61,860
Portugal	6,655,000	66,483
Roumania	18,625,000	174,275
Spain	22,940,000	294,483
Switzerland	4,077,000	45,000
Yugoslavia	13,931,000	130,000

Total of Europeanmore than half the burden of un-
employment relief and have there-
fore a very direct interest in re-
ducing unemployment in their
areas. It is proposed to favour
schemes which can be started with-
out delay, and very careful con-
trol has been instituted to prevent
the expenditure of the credits upon
uneconomic purposes.**A Steep Rise.**It is hoped thus to check the
steep seasonal rise in unemployment
which has already begun and which
generally continues until the end
of February.The use of the credits for public
works rather than for the direct
financial strengthening of private
firms (who will, of course, benefit
from the orders of the municipali-
ties) has the approval both of Dr.
Luther, the President of the Reichs-
bank, and of the Trades Union
leaders.Fifty millions of the five hundred
million marks, however, will be put
at the disposal of house owners as
credits for internal repairs; after
a similar sum has already been
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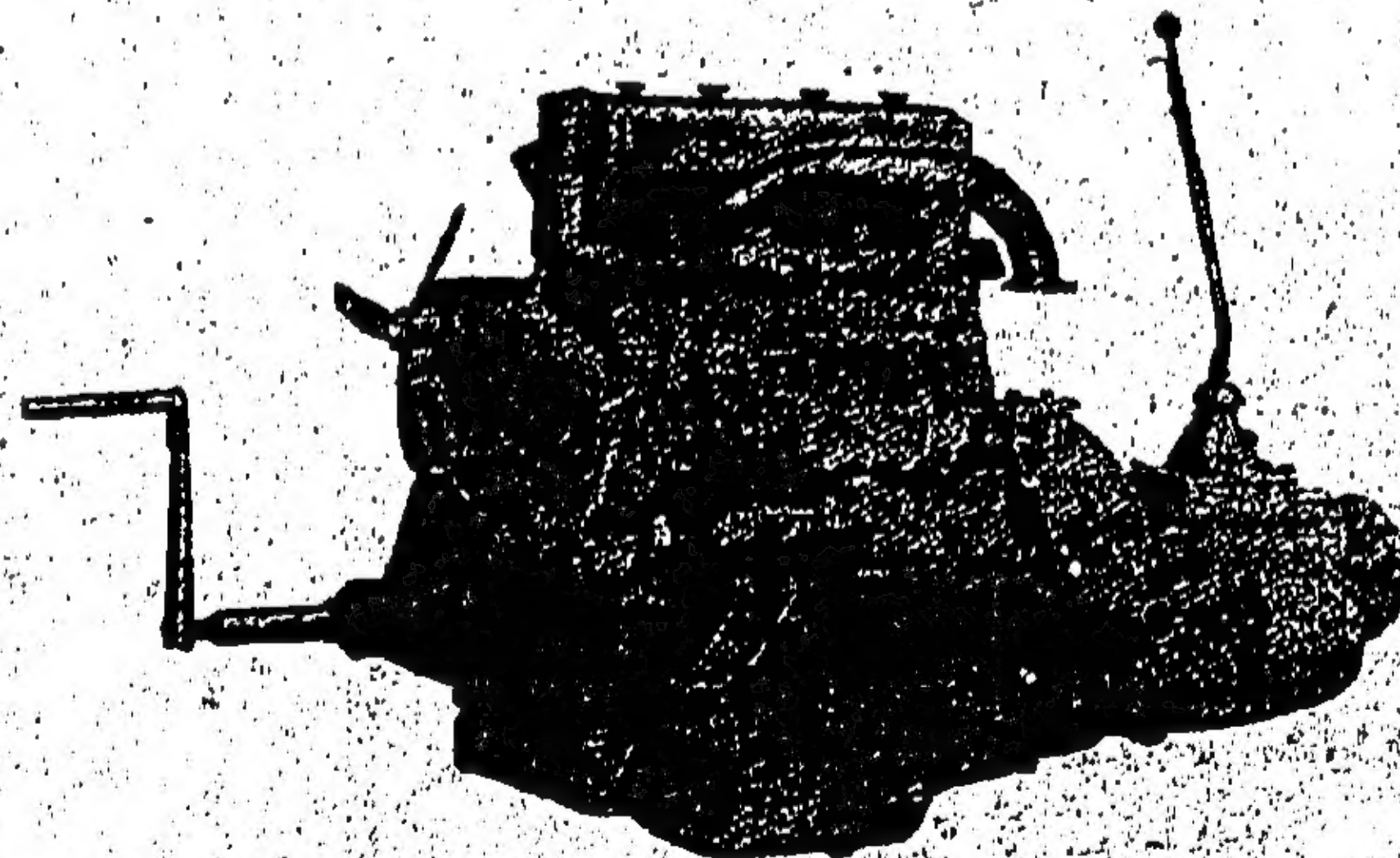
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general health of the populace and
to ease conditions of life in regions
that are still primitive and widely
removed from communication with
large centres of civilization ex-
cept through the medium of the
flying machine. Aviation owns no
finer distinction than the lives
saved and the misery averted by
the efforts of the Australian "fly-
ing doctors."**Four Years Reviewed.**Something of the work done in
the last four years was explained
in London the other day to an
audience of flyers and medical men
by Dr. W. D. Walker, an Adelaide
physician who has spent several
years in the Australian interior.
He told who the aeroplane moved
in response to urgent calls for help
which were received at the base by
wireless. Small and inexpensive
radio transmitters, deriving power
from pedal-operated generators, were
employed for distribution
among the more isolated home-
steads. Their range is 600 miles;
thus equipped the most remote set-
tler knows that he can summon im-
mediate help should he or his family
require it. At first the family
operator was obliged to learn morse,
but a recent improvement
enables messages to be translated
automatically into morse and sent
out by simply tapping a keyboard
similar to that of a typewriter.Messages received at the central
station are retransmitted. Medical
advice is sent back by wireless
telephone or, if the case calls for
more urgent treatment, a reply
(Continued on next column)**GOVERNMENT APPOINT-
MENTS**Mr. Norman Lockhart Smith has
been appointed to the post of
Director of Education in succession
to Mr. G. P. de Martin, B.A., who
is retiring from the Government
Service.Mr. H. B. L. Dowbiggin, O.B.E.,
J.P., and Mr. J. Owen Hughes,
J.P., has been appointed members
of the Licensing Board for a fur-
ther period of three years, as from
December 10, is also notified.H.E. the Governor has appointed
the Rev. Father G. Bryne, D.Ph.,
to be a member of the Board of
Education for a further period of
two years, and Dr. Wong Hok Nin
to be Inspector of Schools, as from
January 24.goes out that the "flying doctor"
is on his way. White sheets
spread on the ground and the
smoke of a fire are employed to
indicate the nearest safe landing
place to the invalid's home, and
the direction of the wind. In ad-
dition to the pilot, the aeroplane
used at present is able to carry
doctor, nurse, patient (should re-
moval to hospital be necessary),
and one other individual. Soon a
larger aircraft may be acquired
for the work, and an anaesthetist
and complete surgical unit air-
borne in addition to the load now
carried. Further important future
developments of the system include
the aerial survey of large areas
not yet charted and the provision
of more landing fields and radio
stations.**Nation-Wide Scheme.**In the first year of the service
Dr. St. Vincent Welch flew no less
than 20,000 miles to attend 285
patients, and held forth-two con-
sultations in twenty-six different
centres. Year by year the work has
expanded till now four "flying
doctors" share the task between
them. Much of it is naturally as-
sociated with childbirth; the aero-
plane has lifted from many women
the terror of maternity without
skilled assistance and proper at-
tention. Ultimately the organizers
hope to establish a complete na-
tional service, provided with a
number of fully equipped base
hospitals which will work together
to cover all of the sparsely settled
and remote regions of the vast
continent.**WORK FOR F.M.S.
PLANTERS**LEGISLATION URGED AT
I.S.P. MEETINGSingapore.—The crisis through
which the rubber industry has
passed has brought about a new
situation with regard to European
unemployment which can only be
altered by law.This startling opinion was voiced
in the course of a debate on the
present-day position of the planter,
which occurred at the annual meet-
ing of the Incorporated Society of
Planters at Kuala Lumpur.The subject was raised by Mr.
R. C. Weston who urged that Gov-
ernment should be asked to legis-
late on the lines of the Rent Re-
striction Act of Great Britain, so
as to give security of tenure of
planters, and regulate such mat-
ters as starting, salary, arrange-
ments under which agreements
were terminated and so forth.The Chairman, Mr. C. C. Foot-
ner, pointed out that the onerous
conditions under which planters
were working were largely the re-
sult of a worldwide slump which
could not be effected by their so-
ciety.After some discussion the matter
was dropped on the understanding
that the council of the I.S.P.
would consider legislative as well
as all other lines of action for pro-
tecting the interests of planters.In his speech the Chairman re-
ported that the Society spent nearly
£11,000 on unemployment relief
last year but subscriptions had
fallen away. He asked as a matter
of urgency that they be kept up.**The Complete Cynic.**Diplomacy, that home of cynicism
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ment of the modern parent, which
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father of six sons, met a friend
whom he had not seen since his
school days. The friend asked duti-
fully after the great man's family."My first son," said the states-
man, "is a diplomat. The second
is also a father.""The third is a banker. The
fourth is in prison, too.""The fifth has the Legion of
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METAL, SUGAR

Messrs. Pentreath & Co. have forwarded us the following letter dated Dec. 22nd from A. J. Buxton & Co., Liverpool:—

COTTON

The situation is still dominated by the negotiations, which have taken a new turn this week with Hoover's message to Congress on Monday. In this he proposes, without asking the approval of Congress, to establish new machinery for discussion of the Debt, though, of course, any conclusions would be subject to such approval; and he proposes that this discussion should precede the World Economic Conference. At the same time he makes it quite clear that in his view the question of Armaments is linked up with that of the Debt. Meantime it is disappointing to find that Roosevelt shows no sign of being ready to co-operate with Hoover in the matter.

On the whole our market has maintained its recent strength, in spite of arising exchange. A similar rise in New York is encouraging, in view of the fact that there have been heavy sales attributed to the Co-operatives, but which are said to be connected with the handling over of 350,000 bales to the Red Cross.

The ginnings to 13th December, with a total of 12,088,000 bales showed a definite falling off in the rate for the period, which is below the ten years' average for the first time since 18th October. But the average balance still to be ginned at this date is nearly a million bales, and if only half that were ginned this year the total of say 12½ million running bales would, owing to the heavy bale weight, easily come up to the Government's last estimate of 12,727,000 bales of 500 lbs.

The U.S. Production figures for November, which have been so long delayed, were fairly satisfactory, the total Production of 248,054 thousand yards being very little less than last month's (253,109). Sales on the other hand showed a marked improvement, being 82.3 per cent. of Production against the low figure of 59.1 per cent. in October, but as Shipments were less than Production, Stocks are up a little, while Unfilled Orders are down.

In Manchester business has, of course, been checked by the approach of the holidays and the year-end stocktaking. The acceptance of the settlement in the "more loans" question is satisfactory, and the trade will enter the new year without any major labour dispute outstanding.

The relative appreciation of Egyptian continues, both for Sakel and Uppers. The Government's Ginnings to the end of November again showed, of course, a decline on last year's figures, but the ginnings of varieties, other than Sakel (which includes all the other long staple varieties) are holding up comparatively well, so that the total ginnings for the period are actually more than in October, which is unusual. The details of these other long staple varieties have not been cabled, but it looks as if the total production of long staple varieties this year might prove, in the long run, to be much larger than had been anticipated. On the other hand there are rumours of a much lower return from the Sudan this year.

The first official estimate of the Indian Crop, which is only 4,220,000 bales, against the final estimate of 4,064,000 last year, is less than had been hoped for, but, of course, the Government estimates are nearly always much lower than the commercial crop.

With regard to prices, the season of the year and the international influences referred to above account for the absence of any activity in the Futures Market. At the same time it is significant that notwithstanding the foregoing prices have been well maintained, and we feel that with better trade conditions in Manchester any renewal of activity would stimulate an improvement in values.

WHEAT

The declining tendency has continued and prices have suffered a material setback during the week; new low records have been established in Winnipeg, where business has been done in the May option on Tuesday last at 40½.

The U.S. Government estimate of the Winter Wheat crop, acreage and condition, was issued on the 26th inst. and was as follows:—The average sown was estimated at 59,902,000 acres, against 40,172,000 (revised) a year ago. The condition of the crop on December 1st

is estimated at 68.9, against 70.4 last year and 86.3 two years ago. The figures as regards the acreage are much larger than the average of recent private estimates and are regarded as distinctly bearish. The condition figures on the other hand, are bullish, but it must be remembered that the condition of the crop in December is not of great importance. Severe cold and unfavourable weather, however, are still reported from this region, and the general tone of reports from a large part of the belt is very pessimistic.

Canada and Australia have been free sellers during the week, and the entry of Plate shippers into our local market with very low offers has introduced a further element of weakness.

Nevertheless, shipments to Continental and non-Continental countries are expected to be heavy, and as hitherto such shipments have been well absorbed, stocks in exporting countries should be reduced materially.

To sum up, we would say that, for the present, the situation is still bristling with bearish factors, but we are convinced that the position from the grower's point of view will improve in the future. It has already been reported that the Argentine Government contemplates a reduction of exporters' wheat sowings for the next two years. Now we hear that Canada is studying the advisability of taking similar measure, and the American allotment plan certainly envisages a curtailment of production. On the other hand, we are sure that growers have learnt their lesson and are now well disposed to facilitate any Governmental measure, as they are not satisfied to grow wheat for a scant living.

Of course, it must not be forgotten that wheat, like other articles, is still influenced by outside factors, but inherent features will come to the fore sooner or later, and we feel confident that prices, on their own merits, will work into a better position.

METAL

The Copper Conference broke up without reaching any agreement, and negotiations between the various producing countries have been abandoned, but there is talk of a new proposal in America to stop production altogether for a more or less lengthy period. This had the effect of raising prices from the new low level to which they had fallen, and the tone of the market has brightened up somewhat. We suppose this would really be a "hull" point, but stocks in America are extremely heavy, and quite sufficient to supply all needs for a long time. Moreover, producers outside America might then consider that they would be quite justified in going "all out," which would largely nullify the effect of the American shut-down.

Sentiment in the Tin market is perhaps not quite so confident; stocks are not being reduced, and some concern is felt at the increase of production outside the controlled areas. This, however, is a very small thing for the present, and likely to remain so for a long time. In the meantime the Tin pools seem quite capable of seeing their deal through.

SUGAR

There has been a steady improvement in prices since last week; the improvement has been only slight, but it is an indication that the market considers that with no external adverse influence sugar prices are low enough to warrant an improvement, and we consider that in the New Year a sharp rise in prices would cause no surprise.

The New York market, at the moment, does not appear to be responsive to an upward movement. This is probably due to the policy of selling from the Philippine and Porto Rico producers. It may be that the selling during the past few weeks from these sources has been overdone. This forced hedge selling has been the cause of the decline in the gold price of sugar as expressed in dollars. The improvement of the pound sterling from its low level of 8.14½ in November has given greater confidence. The London and New York markets are both suffering from a lack of buying power, and a feeling on the part of would-be operators that notwithstanding the cheapness of sugar, the present economic condition of the world prevents them from arriving at a definite opinion as to what is going to happen next.

During the next twelve months the statistical position of sugar will improve considerably. Owing to the Chadbourne Scheme the selling pressure from Cuba will not be excessive, and although India and the East are not at the moment active buyers of Java sugar, the attitude of Java sellers is that of holding for higher prices.

RED MOVEMENT IN
JAPANTHOUSANDS ARRESTED IN
NATIONAL ROUND-UPLITTLE HEADWAY MADE
AMONG MASSES

Tokyo, Jan. 23.—The revelation that nearly 2,000 Radicals had been arrested in a country-wide round-up conducted towards the end of October, and that as many as 6,900 persons within the jurisdiction of the Tokyo Metropolitan Police Board had been arrested during 1932 on suspicion of being involved in Communist activities, is a good indication of the prevailing spirit of unrest in Japan at the present time. It cannot, however, be taken to imply that Communism is making any very great headway here.

Unrest and dissatisfaction with existing conditions are certainly rife, but, even amongst the thousands arrested during the past year, a very large number has already been released and, if past experience is anything to go by, the probability is that, when the examination of the remainder has been completed, it will be found that not more than 300 or 350 will eventually be prosecuted and found guilty.

Under the Peace Preservation Law of 1925, it is forbidden to organize, join, or induce others to join, any society which aims at altering the system of private property, the maximum penalty for such an offence being at first set at ten years' imprisonment but, by the revision of this law three years later, the crime was made punishable by death.

Maximum Punishment Not Invoked.

It is worth noting, however, that, of all the thousands arrested dur-

ing the country-wide round-up of March, 1932, and the years that followed, a total of only 193 were given sentences at the conclusion of the long-drawn trial on October 27 last year, and on none of these was the death sentence carried out. One man, it is true, was sentenced to death, but the sentence was subsequently commuted to life imprisonment.

That fact that the maximum penalty has not yet been invoked would, in itself, seem to indicate that the authorities, despite their undoubted anxiety about the growth of radical thought, recognize that the majority of Japan's Left-Wingers are radicals in theory rather than in practice and that the likelihood of the few really active communists making any very great headway among the masses of the people is so comparatively remote that resort to the maximum penalty as a deterrent is not called for.

It is still undoubtedly true, in fact, that a far greater danger to peace and order, and to the existing form of government, is to be found in the ranks of the reactionary organisations than among the handful of youthful radicals and pseudo-communists, and there is possibly some foundation for the assertion made recently in a manifesto issued by the Shinto itself, a somewhat reactionary body—that the Third International had ordered the real Japanese communists "to assume reactionary ultra-patriotism pointing out that a right-wing upheaval should precede a left-wing revolution."

Youths in Majority.

What amount of truth there may be in this assertion it is impossible to say; but certain it is that, apart from the lip-service paid to the slogan of loyalty to the Emperor, the programme and activities of the reactionary Seisanto, to which so many of the former left-

wing leaders have flocked, smack far more of active communism than to the academic and somewhat anaemic "dangerous thoughts" of the majority of those who are arrested in the periodic round-ups.

It is noticeable, in fact, that the great majority of these latter are youngsters—many of them of good families—in their early twenties and seem to be of the "parious Bolshevik" variety. The danger is that, in treating them as though they were dangerous criminals, the iron is liable to enter into their soul and rouse in them a permanent grudge against society.—Reuter.

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Orchestral.

"Hansel and Gretel Overture"
(Humperdinck).—Philharmonic
Symphony Orchestra of New
York.—7436.

"Over the Hills and Far Away"
(Grainger-Schmid).—Victor
Symphony Orchestra.—36033.

"Three Shades of Blue"—Suite
(Grove).—Paul Whiteman and
his Concert Orchestra.—35852.

"Unrequited Love." (Lincke).
"My Hero Medley"—Waltz
(Strauss).—International Or-
chestra.—35663.

5.30 to 6 p.m.—Children's play from
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"The Princess and the Wood-
cutter" (James Barrie).—Acted
by the Aunts and Uncles.
6 to 7 p.m.—

A Concert.

Piano Solo—"Die Fledermaus—
Paraphrase" (The Bat)
(Strauss-Godowsky).—Benno
Moisewitsch.—7237.

Violin Solo—"At Dawning"
(Cadman-Risland).

Violin Solo—"Andantino" (Lo-
mare-Senger).—Fritz Kreisler.
—1185.

Song—"Lilly Dale" (Thomp-
son).

Song—"The Hazel Dell" (Root).
—Olive Kline (Soprano).—4005.

Piano Solo—"The Flatterer"
(Chaminade).

Piano Solo—"Scarf Dance"
(Chaminade).—Hans Barth.—
20346.

Chorus—"Where'er You Walk"
(Handel-Spross).

Chorus—"Bedouin Song" (Foot).
—Associated Glee Clubs of
America.—36013.

Piano Solo—"Variations on
Themes from Carmen" (Bizet-
Horowitz).

Piano Solo—"Mazurka in O
Sharp Minor" (Chopin).
—Vladimir Horowitz.—1327.

Song—"The Narrative" (Grey-
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Song—"The Rogue Song" (Grey-
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(Baritone).—1446.

Cello Solo—"Song Without
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Cello Solo—"a) 'Songs' My
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(b) "Flight of the Bumble
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—Pablo Casals.—7108.

7 p.m.—Closing local stock qua-
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7.15 to 8 p.m.

Variety.

Waltz—"I'll Never Have to
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Song—"Me Minus You"—Con-
nie Boswell.—6406.

Fox Trot—"Sing"—Dorsey
Brothers' Orchestra.—6408.

Piano Solo—"Love Me To-night"
—Earl Hines.—6403.

Fox Trot—"Underneath the Har-
lem Moon"—Don Redman and
his Orchestra.—6401.

Song—"Here Lies Love"—Bing
Crosby.—6406.

Fox Trot—"A Rainy Day"—
Freddie Martin and His Orches-
tra.—6407.

Fox Trot—"It's Gonna be
You"—Ozzie Nelson and his
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Fox Trot—"Sentimental Over-
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Piano Solo—"Down Among the
Sheltering Palms"—Earl Hines
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Fox Trot—"Ain't I the Lucky
One"—Don Redman and his
Orchestra.—6401.

Song—"How Deep is the Ocean"
—Bing Crosby.—6408.

Fox Trot—"Louisiana Hayride"
—Freddie Martin and his Or-
chestra.—6407.

8 p.m.—Local time and weather
report.

8.05 to 11.30 p.m.—A relay from the
Ho Shing Theatre.

10.30 p.m.—Rugby mid-day Press
report.

11.30 p.m.—Close down.

"All records in the above Euro-
pean programme are supplied by
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"The Studio programme between
5.30 and 7 p.m. may on any day
be replaced by a relay from Eng-
land, if reception of the latter hap-
pens to be good."

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CEYLON AS PART OF INDIA

**JAFFNA PROPOSAL BEFORE
SIR SAMUEL WILSON**

The following telegram, claiming
to express the views of the "in-
habitants of Jaffna" was sent to
Sir Samuel Wilson during his
visit to Ceylon:

"Ceylon unfit for independent Do-
minion government owing to its
size, situation and financial re-
sources. Invites temptation for
foreign aggression. Urges federa-
tion with India as a separate Pro-
vince enjoying same political
rights. Further urge adequate re-
presentation and safeguarding of
minority interests. Territorial re-
presentation on population basis
is unsuitable and prejudicial to
minorities. Further urge inde-
pendent Public service commis-
sion free from all political influence
and control. All recruitment by
public competitive examination.
Amend Order-in-Council enabling
nomination day Committee sys-
tem condemned. Overhaul present
constitution. Majority community
selfish. Inhabitants Jaffna."

The telegram was approved at a
meeting held under the President-
ship of Mr. K. Keththanthamby, of
Jaffna. The meeting was confined
to selected representatives of 22
villages in Jaffna. It was called
"owing to a desire to represent
the average rural point of view
apart from the point of view of
the politicians on various matters
affecting the good government of
this country." stated the memora-
dum which has been submitted to
Sir Samuel Wilson confirming
the telegram.

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WILLIAM SEITZ
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TO-DAY AT THE CINEMA

HONG KONG

King's.
"Sky Devils."
Queen's.
"Kismet."
Central.
"Tom Brown of Culver."
Oriental.
"Doomed Battalion."

KOWLOON

Star.
"Tarzan the Ape Man."
Majestic.
"Movie Crazy."

COMING

King's.
"Horse Feathers."
Queen's.
"The Woman from Monte Carlo."
"Strange Interlude."
Central.
"Young Bride."
"Thank."
"State's Attorney."

Oriental.
"Doomed Battalion."

Star.
"Polly of the Circus."

CANTON CINEMAS

Tai Tak.
"The Spirit of Notre Dame."

Wing Hon.
"Palmy Days."

Chung Wah.
"Business and Pleasure."

Pearl Theatre.
"Fireman, Save My Child."

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a little mad waggin'!

MOVIE NEWS

Pictures In Hong Kong.

"YOUNG BRIDE"

HELEN TWELVETREES FILM
FOR CENTRAL THEATRE

A swift but steady growth in popularity, rather than sensational appeal to fame, has marked the career of Helen Twelvetrees. Although one of the younger screen stars, she is a veteran actress who has erected the structure of success upon the solid foundation of experience.

Before coming to Hollywood and Motion Pictures, the star, who is now appearing at The Central Theatre on Wednesday, in RKO-Pathé's human interest romance, "Young Bride," had completed a course in a dramatic academy and attained renown on the New York stage. Her success in the talking films was immediate. Miss Twelvetrees culminated her rapid but sure march to stardom by an outstanding performance in "Her Man." Her following has grown steadily until to-day she ranks as one of the foremost film luminaries.

In "Young Bride," she has what is said to be the most dramatic and appealing role of her career as a romance-starved girl who gambles desperately with love and happiness. She is supported by an imposing cast including Eric Linden, Arline Judge, Polly Walters, Cliff Edwards, Roscoe Ates and Blanche Friderici.

"KISMET"

BRILLIANT SPECTACLE FILM
AT QUEEN'S

"Kismet" now showing at the Queen's, is one of the first big spectacle pictures to be made since the "talkies" superseded the "movies," and is an undoubted success.

At 5 p.m. yesterday only two seats were available for the 5.15 performance, so when you go to see Kismet book your seats in advance.

I am one of the few who did not see the stage Kismet, so I can not draw comparisons, which is probably no loss, a film should be judged as a film not as an adaptation.

You can judge the film Kismet as a spectacle, by a story, and as a background for Otha Skinner's acting, and gave it very good marks. Its morals are the morals of a man of sense and refinement.

"HORSE FEATHERS"

MARX BROTHER FILM
FOR KING'S

The mad, but merry, Four Marx Brothers, specialists in nonsense, are starred in "Horse Feathers," fourth of their moving pictures, which comes to the King's Theatre on Thursday.

"Horse Feathers," like previous Marx Brothers pictures, is sheer foolery, with the bemused Groucho talking and punning at a terrific rate, slow-moving Chico answering in Italian dialect and occasionally playing the piano, red-wigged Harpo chasing his blondes, and almost normal Zeppo making love to the ingenue.

In "Horse Feathers," however, they have definite roles. Groucho is a college president who took that job to get his son, Zeppo, out of school, where he has spent twelve years or so. Chico is the village dog-catcher.

Between them, they manage to tear the college and everything else to pieces.

"Horse Feathers" was written by Bert Kalmar, Harry Ruby and S. J. Perelman, noted comedy-makers themselves. Music and lyrics are by Kalmar and Ruby, with Norman McLeod directing. Perelman, author of several humorous books, collaborated on "Monkey Business," a previous Marx Brothers picture, while Ruby and Kalmar, authors of numerous Broadway musical hits, worked on the stage production of "Animal Crackers," McLeod directed "Monkey Business."

of the Arabian Nights, had not to be taken seriously.

Haji, the beggar hero, Skinner's role of course, is a cheerful old ruffian without a scruple or a virtue except his love for his daughter (Loretta Young). The ladies of the harem are as frail as they are lovely, the Wazir as corrupt as the beggar, only the young Caliph is drawn as having a human side and some sense of justice. He, by the way, is impressively played by David Manners. But all that matters little, it is the spectacle, the gorgeous sets, the fantastic costumes, the Arabian Nights atmosphere—and Otha Skinner—which counts. You should not miss "Kismet," for you will enjoy it.

There is a prelude, a very good one, and one of the "Walt Disney" imitations, featuring an amusing and cynical skit entitled "A Hunting We Will Go."

LIL DAGOVER AT
QUEEN'S THEATRE

MONTE CARLO FILM BEGINS
ON THURSDAY

Lil Dagover, latest and most sensational European importation, who will be seen at the Queen's Theatre on Thursday, in her initial American picture, "The Woman From Monte Carlo," has ears and shoulders which are the toast of two continents—and therefore quite worthy the distinction of insurance that runs into three figures.

Miss Dagover wears her hair so the precious ears are exposed and her evening gowns are cut with due regard to the beautiful shoulders. She is a slight, willowy lady with eyes that are greenish-brown, a face that can mirror any mood, and a magnetic appeal that has made her the prime favourite of both stage and screen abroad—and will without doubt make her the same here. Her portrayal of Loretta Corlaix, heroine of "The Woman From Monte Carlo," will set her well on the way.

Miss Dagover's support includes Walter Huston, Warren William, George E. Stone, John Wray, Robert Warwick, Oscar Apfel, and many other screen favourites. Michael Curtiz, himself continental in education and outlook, directs the stirring drama of love and intrigue. Photography and settings aid the superb artistry of Miss Dagover—Lil Dagover she prefers to be called.

It is a First National and Vitaphone Production.

"TOM BROWN OF
CULVER"

FINE WAR FILM AT
CENTRAL THEATRE

The entire student body of 700 cadets at the Culver Military Academy in Indiana paraded for scenes in "Tom Brown of Culver," the Universal drama which is showing at The Central Theatre on Sunday, with Tom Brown, H. B. Warner and Slim Summerville in the featured roles.

Clad in resplendent uniforms the band, eight companies of infantry, a battery of artillery and the famous Black Horse Troop of cavalry manoeuvred on the broad campus of Culver while sound cameras made a record of a military spectacle which could not be duplicated except in a Government institution. The colourful atmosphere of Culver serves as a background for a story which is filled with interesting and picturesque scenes, as well as a quality of dramatic intensity which makes "Tom Brown of Culver" one of the most unusual screen plays of the season.

The return of Tom Brown's father after he has supposedly died a hero's death on a battle field in France, with a posthumous award of the congressional Medal of Honour, brings about a situation which reaches the heights of drama.

The cast appearing with Brown, Warner and Slim Summerville in "Tom Brown of Culver" includes Richard Cromwell, Ben Alexander, Russell Hopton, Andy Devine, Dick Winslow, Sidney Toler, Wilfrid Brimley, and many others.

and the picture was produced under the direction of William Wyler.

CINEMA TICKETS BY AEROPLANE

ADVERTISING SKY DEVILS

Look out of an aeroplane flying over the city this morning between noon and one p.m. It will drop a number of weightless parachutes and should you be lucky enough to secure one you will find attached an envelope containing two tickets which will enable you to see "Sky Devils" at the King's Theatre free of charge.

The King's Theatre have arranged for the aeroplane to fly over the city and drop thousands of handbills as a means of advertising "Sky Devils," their current picture. The film is exceptionally good, and has some amazing flying stunts in it. It took over a year to make and in one scene two whole flights of army planes are engaged in battle. They dart across the screen attacking and dodging each other in a manner which is wholly convincing and very exciting. It is a picture which is well worth seeing at any price, and if you catch a parachute and thus can make a friend and see it free you are doubly lucky.

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"SKY DEVILS"
AT THE KING'S

A PICTURE NOT TO BE
MISSED

"Sky Devils" opened at the King's Theatre yesterday to crowded houses.

Spencer Tracy (Willie) and George Cooper (Bitchell) American soldiers are showing in some really amusing scenes. Sergeant Hogan (William Boyd) puts up some good acting as a Sergeant in the American Flying Corps.

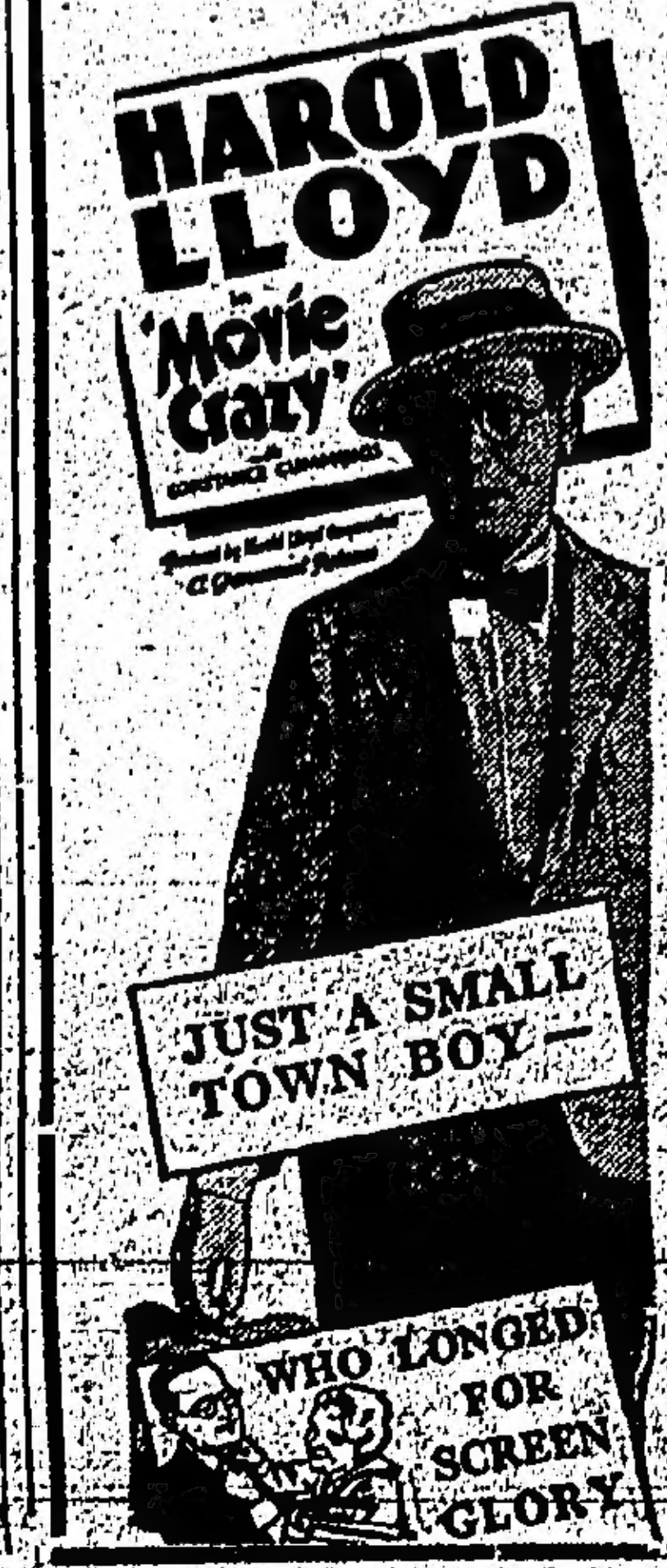
There are tense moments "in the air" where some wonderful flying stunts are seen.

"Sky Devils" is a picture to dispose gloomy thoughts and will bring a laugh to grown-ups and children alike. We strongly recommend this film. Be sure to book your seats early as judging from Sunday's attendance the King's theatre booking office is going to be busy.

laid Robertson and many others, and the picture was produced under the direction of William Wyler.

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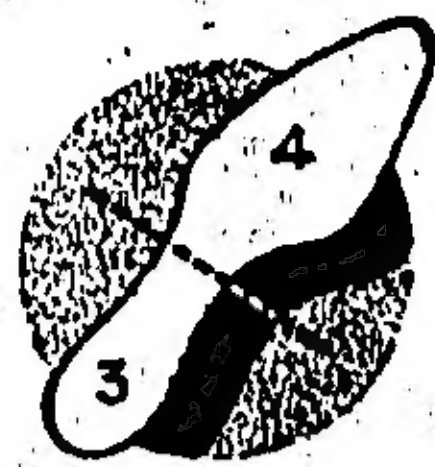
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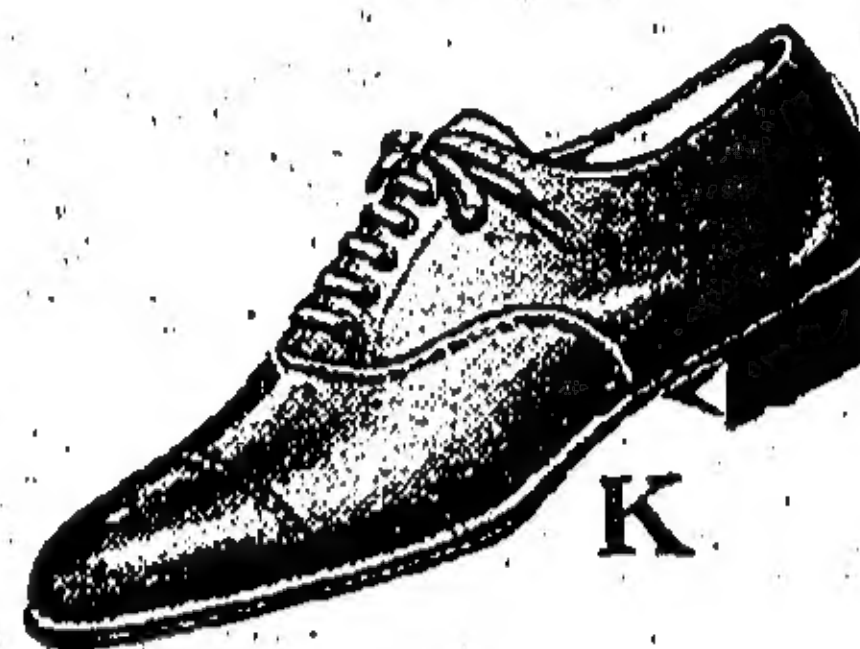
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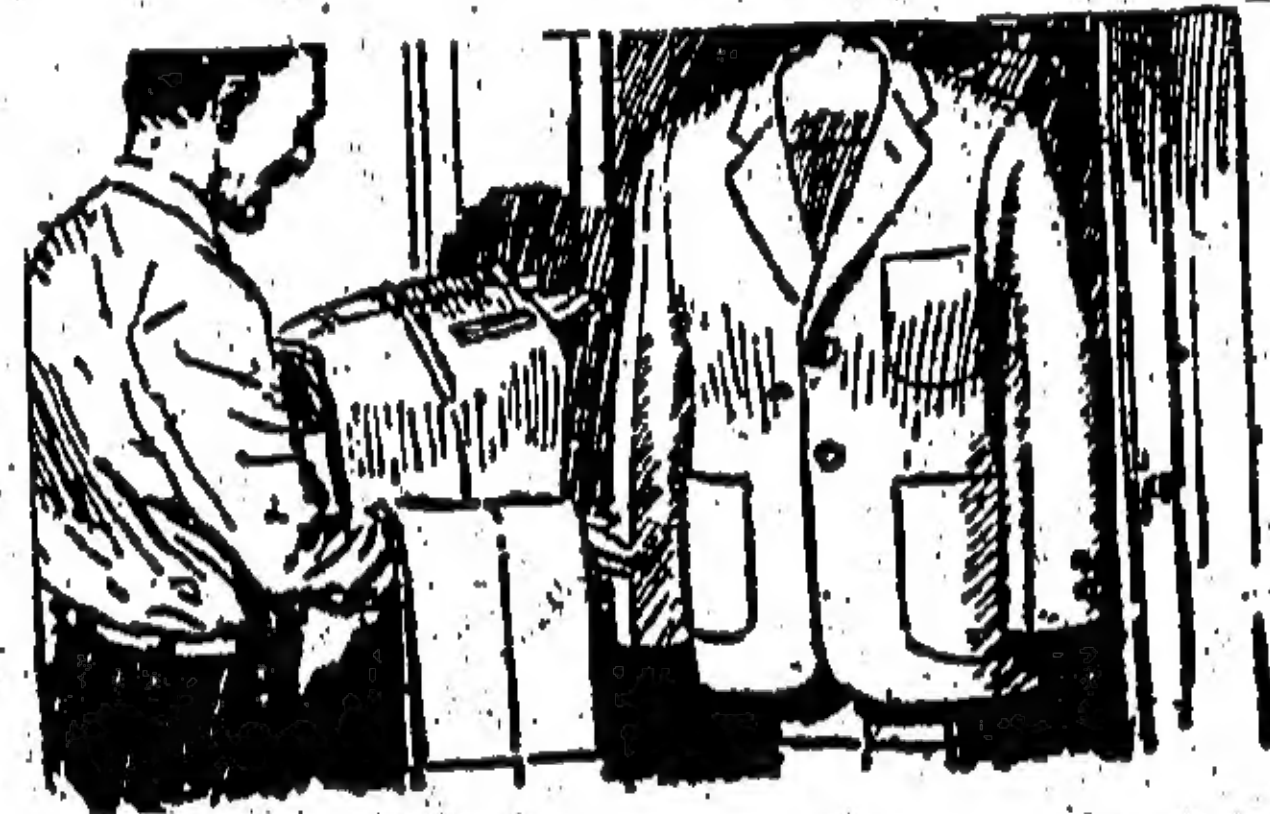
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TRAINING NOTES AND TIMES

PRIMA DONNA COMING TO THE FOREFRONT: DOES
GOOD GALLOP ON SATURDAY

BRECHIN FINISHES IMPRESSIVELY FOR FIRST TIME

(BY "MORNING DEW")

Details of Saturday's gallops are to be found below and readers will see that the best performance of the morning was that of Mr. A. M. L. Soares' Derby candidate, Prima Donna.

The mare was sent over a mile and a half and took 3 minutes 37.1 seconds for the journey. This admittedly, is not the best performance of the season, but the mare finished full of running and gave the impression that she could easily clip a good bit off the time, had she been asked. The last half mile, it will be noticed was covered in 1.04.2 and the last quarter in 30.3 seconds.

The best finish of the morning however, was by Coo Coo Bay, who is looked upon by many as better than Trentbridge. The pony is certainly moving better now than she was a few weeks back and is putting up very good gallops regularly. Saturday's 22.9 was very

good indeed in spite of the fact that the full time was on the slow side. After this gallop Coo Coo Bay ought to find as many supporters as Trentbridge. The last half mile was in 1.05.3.

Another much fancied pony, Brechin, did a good gallop on Saturday. The pony was accompanied all the way round by an "amah" and this had the effect of keeping him steady. Unlike his previous efforts, when he showed signs of boring out and slowing down, Brechin ran well all the way, finishing in 30.2 seconds. The half mile was in 1.05.1 seconds, which is not bad at all. A few more gallops like this, and I would be the most surprised man in the world if Brechin does not figure among the Derby favourites on Derby Day.

Street Singer went over a mile, the last three quarters of the gallop being shown below. The pony

showed a strong finish and will probably do very well in the shorter races at the meeting.

Rosy Morn was sent over a mile and three quarters on Saturday and his times will be found below. The pony finished all out and although the time is the best returned during the morning, the performance was far from impressive.

Stickysack was twenty seconds slower than Rosy Morn but he finished in much more convincing manner and might turn out to be a real stayer. The pony is definitely good.

Dancing Jack went over a fairly fast mile and a quarter, finishing full of running. Portia was taken over very slow work while Sunup was taken over a mile. The intermediate quarters were very fast.

The times clocked on Saturday are as follows:—

Griffins

	Dis- tance	1st Qr.	2nd Qr.	3rd Qr.	4th Qr.	5th Qr.	6th Qr.	Last Qr.
Aids	1	41.1	1.37.3	2.08.2	2.42.3	—	—	34.1
Brechin	1	48.3	1.25	2.02.3	2.37.2	3.07.4	—	30.2
Coo Coo Bay	1	40.2	1.22	2.00.2	2.47	3.14	3.42.8	29.2
Esk	1	35.3	1.10.4	1.44.2	2.16.2	—	—	34
Glen Shed	1	35.3	1.10.2	1.43.3	—	—	—	33.1
Green Butterfly	1	48.2	1.32	2.12.8	2.49.4	—	—	37.1
Jungle Jim	1	35	1.10.2	1.45	2.19	—	—	34
Maria Petra	1	42.4	1.33.3	2.00.2	2.34	—	—	33.3
Night Patrol	1	35.2	1.12.2	1.47.4	2.23.1	2.55.4	—	33.3
Par Se	1	38.2	1.13	1.47	2.23.1	—	—	35.1
Prima Donna	1	38.4	1.17.2	1.55.2	2.39.3	3.06.3	3.37.1	30.3
Spotted Butterfly	1	41.1	1.20.8	1.54.3	—	—	—	34
Stickysack	1	39	1.19	1.52	—	—	—	33
Street Singer	1	37.3	1.13.3	1.43.1	—	—	—	29.3
Tanorio	1	38.2	1.14.1	1.49.4	2.22.3	—	—	32.4
The Cavalier	1	42.3	1.19.3	1.54.3	2.29	—	—	34.2
The Roundhead	1	42.3	1.19.3	1.54.3	2.30.3	—	—	36
Wigan	1	48.2	1.32	2.12.3	2.49.4	—	—	37.1

Subscription Griffins

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	Last
Biscuit	1	41.3	1.22.3	2.03.4	2.42.3	—	33.4
Black Rock	1	37.3	1.13.2	1.51.2	—	—	33
Burgomaster	1	36.4	1.15	1.49.2	—	—	34.2
Gold Box	1	40	1.15.1	1.50	—	—	34.4
Invincible	1	39.2	1.19.3	1.58.2	2.33.2	—	35
Iron Grey	1	40.3	1.21	1.59	2.33.1	—	31.1
Jack O'Lantern	1	41.3	1.22.3	2.03.4	2.40.3	—	36.4
Kraka Viz	1	40.2	1.21	2.00.4	2.36.4	—	36
Little Rock	1	37.3	1.13.2	1.51.2	—	—	33
Oh! Yeah	1	39.1	1.15.3	1.52	—	—	36.2
Partnership	1	41.2	1.18.1	1.52.3	—	—	34.2
Spring Field	1	36.3	1.13.4	1.49	2.26	—	37
Swale	1	44.2	1.25.2	2.05	2.44	3.19.2	34.2
The Goat	1	36.4	1.12.1	1.46.4	—	—	34.3
Tiptop	1	42	1.18	1.55	2.37.1	—	42.1
Warrington	1	47	1.27	2.09.1	2.47.2	—	38.1
White Butterfly	1	38	1.16	1.51	—	—	35

Australian Ponies

	1st	2nd	3rd	4th	5th	6th	Last
Bulbul	1	34.3	1.09	1.40.3	—	—	31.3
Dancing Jack	1	36.4	1.12	1.45.2	2.13.3	2.43.2	29.4
Golden Dawn	1	34.2	1.09.3	1.43.3	2.14	—	30.2
Portia	1	39	1.13.3	1.55	—	—	36.2
Ration	1	34.3	1.09	1.40.3	—	—	31.3
Rosy Morn	1	38	1.14.3	1.50.3	2.24	2.55	32.2
Stickysack	1	42.3	1.22.3	2.01.3	2.39.2	3.15	34.4
Sunup	1	37.4	1.08.2	1.38.4	2.10.3	—	31.4
Wagga	1	37.4	1.09	1.41.3	2.14.2	—	32.4

HOME FOOTBALL

F.A. CUP AND LEAGUE RESULTS

(THROUGH BRITISH AGENCY.)

Following are the results of F.A. Cup and League matches played at Home on Saturday:—

ENGLISH LEAGUE

FIRST DIVISION

Chelsea	3	Wolves	1
Portsmouth	2	Newcastle	0

TABLE TO DATE

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Arsenal	26	18	5	3	39
Wednesday	26	15	5	6	36
Aston Villa	26	15	4	7	35
Newcastle	26	15	8	3	33
Leeds	26	11	4	10	22
Derby	26	11	5	10	21
West Bromwich	26	10	13	3	23
Sheff. Wed.	26	11	5	10	27
Sheff. Utd.	26	11	5	10	27
Sheff. F.C.	26	11	5	10	27

SECOND DIVISION

Port Vale	1	Fulham	2
Preston	1	Charlton	0
Southampton	4	Lincoln	0
Swansea	2	Bradford C.	0

TABLE TO DATE

	P.	W.	L.	D.	Pts.
Bradford C.	25	13	5	7	33
Stoke	25	14	6	5	33
Bury	25	13	6	7	32
Tottenham	25	13	6	6	33
Swansea	27	14	10	3	31
Nottingham	25	10	6	9	28
Manchester Utd.	25	10	7	8	28
Nottingham	25	10	7	8	28
Fulham	26	11	9	6	28
Millwall	26	11	9	6	27
Southampton	26	12	12	2	26
Watford	26	10	10	6	26
Plymouth	26	10	10	6	26
Port Vale	26	9	11	6	25
Bradford	26	10	13	3	23
Lincoln	26	8	11	7	23
West Ham	26	7	11	8	21
Sheff. Utd.	26	7	14	5	21
Sheff. F.C.	26	7	14	5	21
Sheff. Wed.	26	7	14	5	21

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MANCHESTER C.

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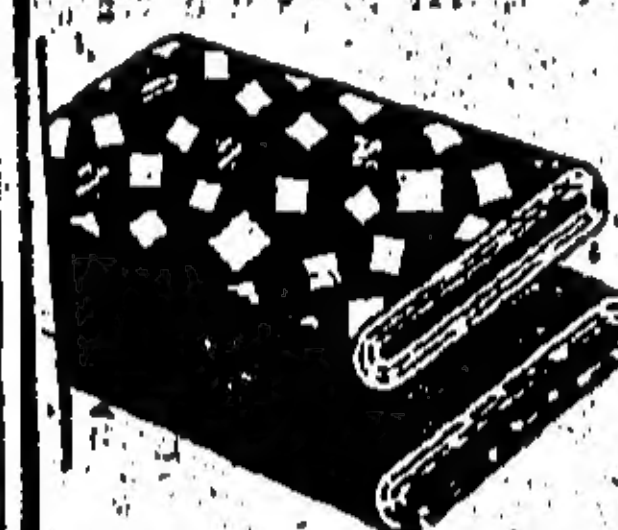
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

OFFICIAL NOTICE.

PROPOSAL TO CHANGE A SHIP'S NAME.

I, Thomas Henry Robert Shaw, of Hong Kong, hereby give notice that in consequence of the Owners at present building a new vessel as replacement.

I have applied to the Board of Trade, under Section 47 of the Merchant Shipping Act, 1894, in respect of the ship "FATSHAN" of London, Official number 88843, of gross tonnage 2,816 tons, registered by Messrs. The China Navigation Co., Ltd., 8 Billiter Square, London E.C. 3, for the permission to change her name to "Fatahan" and to have her registered in the new name at the Port of London, as owned by Messrs. The China Navigation Co., Ltd. Any objections to the proposed change of name must be sent to the Registrar of Shipping at Hong Kong, within seven days from the appearance of this advertisement.

Dated at Hong Kong, this 26th day of January, 1933.
(Signed) T. H. R. SHAW.

Manager Messrs. Butterfield & Swire under Power of Attorney for Messrs. John Swire & Sons, Ltd., General Managers of The China Navigation Co., Ltd.

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DIOCESAN BOYS' SCHOOL.

DINNER FOR OLD BOYS.

FRIDAY, 10th FEBRUARY, 8 P.M.
LANE CRAWFORD RESTAURANT.

THE Bishop of Victoria and The Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotzwall have issued invitations to all Old Boys whose addresses are known.

Any who have not received invitations are asked to send their names and addresses to the Bursar, T. S. W. Chan, the Diocesan Boys' School.

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HUMPHREYS ESTATE & FINANCE CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the ANNUAL ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS will be held at the Hongkong Hotel, Hong Kong, on MONDAY, the 13th February, 1933, at 11.00 a.m. for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1932.

The TRANSFER BOOKS of the Company will be CLOSED from WEDNESDAY, 1st February to MONDAY, 13th February, both days inclusive.

JOHN D. HUMPHREYS & SON,
General Managers.
Hongkong, 24th January, 1933.

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THE "STAR" FERRY CO., LTD.
NOTICE TO SHAREHOLDERS.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE THIRTY-FIFTH ORDINARY YEARLY MEETING OF THIS COMPANY will be held at the Office of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., on THURSDAY, the 9th February, 1933, at NOON, for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with a Statement of Accounts for the year ended 31st December, 1932.

The Register of Shares of the Company will be CLOSED from Wednesday, the 1st February, 1933 to Thursday, the 9th February, 1933, both days inclusive.

By order of the Board of Directors,
F. H. CRAPNEL, Secretary.
Hongkong, 24th January, 1933.

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THE HONG KONG LAND INVESTMENT & AGENCY CO., LTD.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN that the FORTY-FIFTH ORDINARY GENERAL MEETING of SHAREHOLDERS in this Company will be held at the Office of Messrs. Jardine, Matheson & Co., Ltd., on TUESDAY, 14th February, 1933, at NOON for the purpose of receiving the Report of the Directors together with the Statement of Accounts for the year ending 31st December, 1932.

By Order of the Board of Directors,
L. S. GREENHILL, Secretary.
Hong Kong, 20th January, 1933.

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necessary to pay our creditors." The Note added that "while we do not ask for more, all will admit that we cannot be content with less."

This was no empty gesture. There was owing to Great Britain four times the amount of her indebtedness. There was due £1,450,000,000 from Germany; £1,300,000,000 from France, Italy, and other European debtors; £650,000,000 from Russia, making a total owed to Great Britain of £3,400,000,000. Against that, Great Britain's only debt was to the United States of America, which, at the time of the Balfour Note, together with accrued interest amounted to £320,000,000. What Great Britain wanted was complete cancellation all round; failing that, she made an offer to waive a surplus of £2,550,000,000.

The American response was not encouraging, and an agreement was reached as to British payments. Meanwhile German reparations were soon recognised to have been fixed at an impossible figure, which was steadily and considerably reduced. Other nations for long refused to see the sense of the British suggestion for complete cancellation. Now the pressure of bitter experience and hard fact is bringing them, reluctantly enough, to view the position from the British standpoint. But they are not yet completely convinced. Whether a conference of the Powers concerned will be able to achieve general cancellation, or at any rate an effective revision, remains to be seen, but it is now obvious to everyone in view of the difficulty of almost every country in meeting its financial obligations, that changes of a drastic character are absolutely necessary if the financial system of the world is to function properly again.

From the Files.

LOOKING BACK 75 YEARS

Admiral Seymour has announced his intention of establishing and maintaining a regular communication between Hong Kong and Canton by means of gunboats to start from Hong Kong, every Monday, Wednesday and Friday.

Time of Departure, from both places 7 a.m.

The boat under dispatch will hoist a blue peler at daylight, and will carry a black ball at her mast head during the passage, which will exempt her from being stopped on the way, by the men-of-war stationed on the river.—*Hong Kong Daily Press*, Jan. 30, 1858.

LOOKING BACK 50 YEARS

The following is the report of the Board of Directors of the Hong Kong, Canton and Macao Steamboat Company, Ltd. to the ordinary half-yearly meeting of shareholders to be held on Friday next at 3.30 p.m.—The Directors beg to submit to the shareholders the usual statement of accounts for the half-year ending 31 December last.

After paying running expenses, salaries, premia of insurance, repairs, and all other outgoings, there remains, including \$50,347.43 brought forward from last account, the sum of \$114,351.85 at credit of profit and loss account. From this sum the Directors recommend that \$30,000 or 5% on the capital, be paid as dividend for the half-year, that \$9,000 be written off the cost of steamer Honam, that \$50,000 be placed at credit of depreciation fund and that \$2,276 be appropriated as Directors' and Auditors' fees, leaving a balance of \$22,051.35 to be carried forward to new account, to meet the repairs mentioned in the last report and not yet completed.—*Hong Kong Daily Press*, Jan. 30, 1933.

Looking Back 25 Years.

At the time tendered to H.H. Prince Hiroyst Fishimi at Government House yesterday there were present with H.E. the Governor and Lady Lugard, His Lordship the Bishop of Victoria, Hon. Mr. and Mrs. F. H. May, Admiral Sir Arthur Moore, Major General Broadwood, Sir Francis Pigott, Lieutenant Miyokawa, Mr. Mashiko, Captain Mitchell-Taylor, A.D.C., Captain Fleming, A.D.C. and Mr. A. J. Brackenbury, Private secretary. In the afternoon His Imperial Highness returned aboard the "Hakata-Maru," which vessel left port later.—*Hong Kong Daily Press*, Jan. 30, 1908.

Old Sol is gradually losing his job in the movies. Not only are high-powered artificial lights proving more dependable than sunlight, but even the direct rays of the sun are being diffused with canopies in some of the newer productions.

The solar rays are too intense for superintensive film and some of the newly-perfected lenses, according to technicians. Another factor which has influenced the use of artificial light is the demand for artificial light in the production of

★ News and Views ★

A Survivor of Lucknow.

Mrs. A. Shaw, a survivor of the siege of Lucknow in 1857, died recently at Southsea in her ninety-sixth year. She went to India at the age of 16 and married Lieut. Soppitt, of the 10th Bombay Native Infantry. During the siege she lost her two-year-old son from cholera. When, after the arrival of the relieving force, she was the last woman to leave the Residency, she travelled to Allahabad in a litter cart, and on the way she gave birth to a daughter. She returned to England soon afterwards and after the death of her first husband she married Major A. Shaw.

A Drake Relic.

A tobacco box, about 4 in. long, made of the wood from the Golden Hind, the little ship in which Sir Francis Drake "circumnavigated the globe" in 1580, is being offered for sale in a Bond-street bookshop. The box has a curious history. It was given as a prize by Lady Elliot Drake, a descendant of the famous man of Devon, at the Starcross and Exo Rogatta nearly a hundred years ago.

It is lined with silver-gilt, and on the inside of the lid is a record of its history and its presentation as a prize.

A Soldier's Flea.

The following delightful letter was sent by a general commanding a cavalry division in a Balkan town to his War Minister. It reads:

Your Excellency,—My division has had no pay for four months. I know that times are bad. I make no complaint on behalf of my fellow-officers. I have taught them to play cards, and they live very well from their games with the civilian population. I make no complaint on behalf of my men. I have taught them to beg, and they, too, make a good living. But my horses, who can neither play cards nor beg, are starving. Please send me some hay.

Thirty Years Ago.

Following the B.E.C.'s recent celebration of its tenth anniversary, it is interesting to recall that thirty years ago the first wireless message was transmitted across the Atlantic.

It was sent by Lord Minto, Governor-General of Canada, to King Edward VII. from Cape Breton to the Marconi Station in Cornwall. King Edward, replying to Lord Minto, said: "I am much interested by the wireless message which you have sent me, and am delighted at the success of Signor Marconi's great invention, which brings Great Britain and Canada into still closer connection."

At the time, the speed attained was, roughly, fifteen words a minute. To-day, on the Marconi beam circuits, the operators often transmit at 400 words a minute.

Mrs. Beeton's Portrait.

The immortal Mrs. Beeton has entered the National Portrait Gallery. Her portrait, a tinted photograph and the only one extant, is the chief attraction in the exhibition of new acquisitions which was opened to the public in Boxing Day. The portrait shows a pleasant young lady dressed in the flouncing fashion of the time. What strikes one most is the youthfulness of the face. One always imagine Mrs. Beeton as an austere and severely capable matron. She died at the age of twenty-nine. Her famous household work was begun when she was twenty-three. She took nearly three years to complete it.

A Case Without Precedent.

A husband has asked the Nancy (France) court for a divorce on the ground that his wife continually asked advice from the spirit of her first husband, whose name was Caesar and who was killed in the war.

The husband said that the spirit Caesar was a virtual dictator in the home and had made his life unbearable.

When he suggested that they should go for a walk his wife would consult Caesar. When he said "I will wear my grey suit to-day," she would say, "What does Caesar say?"

The Nancy court have deferred judgment for a week as no legal precedent can be found.

Sir Richard Snubbed.

The Medical Superintendent of the Colombo Mental Hospital took a visitor up to a dark man who was dressed in English costume.

"This is Lord Richard," said the Doctor gravely. "He has mixed a great deal with Royalty, being an intimate friend of King George and the Godfather of Queen Mary."

I bowed respectfully and gave him my hand, which he took hesitatingly.

"Who are you?" he queried.

"I am Sir Richard Morgan," I said, and he straightaway turned on his heels and left us.

"You are beneath his notice," laughed the doctor.

The First Trade Mark.

The familiar red triangle which is the sign of Bass's beer has a historical as well as a festive significance, for it was the first Trade Mark issued in England. This is one of the interesting facts mentioned in a booklet published by the brewery telling the story of the business.

Stories of great businesses are always entertaining, and this one, tracing the course of William Bass's venture on the banks of the Trent in 1777 down to the present day, is as romantic as any.

Without Burton water, coming from wells above the town, from which the monks of Burton Abbey brewed beer as early as 1295, there could be no Bass. No other water can produce the distinctive flavour, character and keeping qualities, just as none but the Highland water will serve for the production of Scotch whisky. The servant of the firm who was responsible for giving Bass the first number on the Trade Mark Register spent the night before the opening of the registrar's office in 1875, on the stairs to make sure he was the first applicant.

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Local and General

Two cases of small-pox, 1 of diphtheria 2 of enteric, and 1 of meningitis were reported during the three days ending Jan. 27.

All 24 soup kitchens organised in Peiping by the various charitable institutions are reported to be following the cold snap and the recent influx of refugees.

The American Consulate General, Shanghai, will appreciate the receipt of information regarding the whereabouts of Mr. John Hoffman, American war veteran, formerly of Redwood City, California.

Dr. Alekhine, the famous chess player, is due to here by the s.s. President Polk on February 3. He will stay until February 7. Several exhibition games will be held while he is in the Colony.

A photographer's shop at 242-244 Queen's Road Central was burgled during the Chinese New Year holidays and goods totalling \$400 were stolen. The thieves gained access to the shop by cutting through the door of the shop.

Mr. Sven Hedin, the famous Central Asian explorer, has returned to Peiping from America, where he has been superintending the reconstruction of a Chinese temple which he had transported from Japan to Chicago for a walking American.

Dr. J. Kovring, a distinguished economist from Budapest, Hungary, has arrived in Peiping and is a guest of Dr. E. Gajdos. Dr. Kovring is making an extensive tour of the Orient and spent some time in the Dutch East Indies and South China.

Mr. Harry Ore the pianist has returned from Manila and intends to continue his musical activities in the Colony, also in Macao and Canton. Music lovers will be glad to hear he is to give a Pianoforte Recital on Thursday 2nd February at the Helena May Institute.

Taiyuanfu, the capital of the "model province" is said to be thriving as a result of the Shan-haiwan hostilities. Hundreds of the wealthier families of Peiping and Tientsin are flocking into it and all the hotels there are crowded. The restaurants and markets are reported to be doing good business.

Old boys of the Diocesan Boys' School are holding a dinner on Friday, February 10, at 8 p.m. at Lane, Crawford's Restaurant, when the Bishop of Victoria and the Hon. Dr. R. H. Kotzwall, C.M.G. will be among those present. Old Boys wishing to attend are asked to write to the Bursar, Mr. T. S. W. Chan, The Diocesan Boys' School.

The Hankow police are advertising for anyone in Hankow who is able to speak fluently in the Rumanian, Polish, Persian, Greek and Russian languages, among many others in order to help in clearing up matters which resulted when a banquet in the Tachi Hotel on January 9, which started as a social gathering of people of half-a-dozen different nationalities to promote international good-will as well as business interests, broke up abruptly in a fracas. A Pole, his wife and a Rumanian were seriously injured by knife wounds and are being treated in the Catholic Mission Hospital where the Pole is lying in a critical condition and is not expected to live.

DIARY OF LOCAL EVENTS

TO-DAY

(January 30)

(1 Moon 6th Day).

Annual Dinner, Chinese Consulate, H.K. Police Reserve.
Interport Golf Dinner, Gloucester Building, 8 p.m.
Interport Football Dinner, Peninsula Hotel, 8 p.m.

Theatres.

Queen's: "Kismet."
King's: "Sky Devils."
Central: "Tom Brown of Culver."
World: "Hen and Duck Spouse" (Chinese film).
Oriental: "The Doomed Battalion."
Star: "Tarzan the Ape Man."

Dances.

Ten Dances at Gloucester Building, Hong Kong Hotel, King's Restaurant and Majestic Academy.
Dinner Dances at Hong Kong and Peninsula Hotels and King's Restaurant.

Meetings.

Hong Kong Rifle Club, 5.30 p.m.
Kowloon Union Church, 9 p.m.
Hong Kong Golf Club, 5.30 p.m.

Sports.

Football:—Shanghai v. Combined Services, 3 p.m.
Golf:—Manila v. Shanghai (four-somes).

Billiards:—Open Championship: L. E. Remedios v. da Cruz (St. Patrick's Club, 8 p.m.).
Hockey:—Mamak Tournament: Royal Engineers v. Tamar; Hong Kong Hockey Club v. Hong Kong S.F.A. (Friendly).
Yachting:—R.H.K.Y.C. eighth Championship race for Ladies.

TUESDAY

(January 31)

(1 Moon 6th Day).

Theatres.

King's: "Sky Devils."
Central: "Tom Brown of Culver."
Queen's: "Kismet."
World: "Hen and Duck Spouse" (Chinese film).
Oriental: "The Doomed Battalion."
Star: "Tarzan the Ape Man."

Sports.

Hockey:—Mamak Tournament: R.A.M.C. v. Veteran, 4 p.m.
Billiards:—Open Championship: A. J. Oswald v. A. H. Oswald, 8 p.m.

which the monks of Burton Abbey brewed beer as early as 1295, there could be no Bass. No other water can produce the distinctive flavour, character and keeping qualities, just as none but the Highland water will serve for the production of Scotch whisky. The servant of the firm who was responsible for giving Bass the first number on the Trade Mark Register spent the night before the opening of the registrar's office in 1875, on the stairs to make sure he was the first applicant.

According to the *Hartford Times*, the Harbin representative of the League of Nations has released the following figures regarding the number of emigre Russians in various parts of the world:—total, 1,010,000; China, 93,000; France, 400,000; Poland, 60,000; Syria, 131,000; Rumania, 70,000; Germany 50,000; Japan, 2,356; and London, 4,000. Of these it is said 120,000 are unemployed.

Owing to the situation in North China and the severity of the weather in Peiping, ice-skating rinks in the city have been effected. The rink in Nanhai Park, which is one of the most popular places for skating and where a bomb exploded shortly after it opened, has been closed up for the season. Workmen have already taken down the skating and electric lights.

Mr. Schofield, before whom three Chinese were brought for exposing gunpowder for sale ruled that the prosecution had failed because "the opinion of the jury in the case of freetrackers did not come within the definition of 'gunpowder' as laid down in the Ordinance." He referred the case to Mr. Wynne Jones, the second Magistrate, for his consideration and the opinion was upheld. Mr. Wynne Jones said "the opinion of the jury was always right."

TO EXPEDITE WORK OF DISARMAMENT CONFERENCE

NEW BRITISH PROPOSALS DISCLOSED

HOPE THAT CONCRETE DECISIONS WILL BE REACHED AT AN EARLY DATE

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.)

Rugby, Jan. 29. BRITISH proposals for expediting the work of the Disarmament Conference, which were disclosed yesterday to the President of the Conference and to delegates representing the United States, France, Germany and Italy are regarded here as indicating a determination to press forward the issues before the conference and to reach early decisions.

It is hoped the replies of Powers will be received in time to enable the British suggestion to be considered by the bureau of the conference next week.

As indicated, in a Rugby message last night, it is suggested the discussion be divided into two main heads—political questions which have bearing on security and purely disarmament questions.

Political questions cover general principles and it is suggested it should be the aim of the bureau to submit to the general committee, which meets on February 2, a convention giving effect to them.

These general principles are as follows: Firstly, affirmation by European Powers that they will in no case resort to force.

Secondly, continental European states should seek to work out a regional security agreement.

Thirdly, application of the principle that limitations on armaments of disarmed states shall be contained in the same disarmament convention as that which will define limitations on armaments of others, and shall replace Part V of the Treaty of Versailles which arms and armed forces.

Fourthly, the convention to last for the same period and so be subject to the same measure of revision to all its signatories.

Fifthly, embodiment in the convention as regards war material of the principle of qualitative equality and provision for the realisation of such equality, if not immediately after its entry into force then by specified stages.

Continental states should consider a reduction of their armaments to a uniform short-service type.

British Proposals.

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.)

Rugby, Jan. 27. In order to facilitate the work of the Disarmament Conference at Geneva and to give Direction to the discussions now proceeding in the Bureau of Conference, the British Government have drawn up a programme of work designed to bring order out of the confusion which has resulted from the production of plans by various Powers and the discussions in the Bureau regarding control of a disarmament not yet achieved.

This in no sense represents a new plan. The British proposals were presented in full detail at Geneva on November 17. It has, however, been strongly felt here that early and practical decisions should be taken by the Disarmament Conference.

With this point in view a comprehensive programme of work has been prepared for examination by the Bureau before the General Commission completes its work next week, if it is found that there is a

PURCHASE OF THE "CATHAY NEWS"

ALLEGATIONS OF FRAUD.

Described as an unemployed Filipino, Joseph Evangelist Bosa, aged 32, appeared before Mr. Wynne Jones on Saturday on charges of fraud.

The defendant is alleged to have fraudulently converted to his own use \$1,722.33 which was entrusted to him by Florence Kennedy, of Wing On Street, for the purchase of the now defunct Cathay News in September, 1932.

The second count alleges that the defendant obtained \$50 from Kew-lam Nohmij of the Eastern Bazaar, on a cheque on the National City Bank of New York, whereas the defendant in fact did not have that amount in the bank.

Detective Inspector John Murphy is asking for a week's remand, said that at the end of the adjournment the prosecution would probably be in a position to fix a date.

Bosa said that he wished to call witnesses, the Canton manager of the Shamshing Printing Press, the Hong Kong Manager of the Shamshing Printing Press, an official from the Treasury to produce certain account books, as well as other witnesses.

Ball was allowed in the sum of \$3,000, the defendant being remanded for one week.

DEFEAT OF FRENCH GOVERNMENT

SOCIALIST MEMBERS FORCE ISSUE

(THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY)

Paris, Jan. 28. The French Government have been defeated by 390 votes to 193, and are resigning.

The defeat of the French Government occurred after an all-night sitting on the question of increasing direct taxation by 5 per cent., a motion which had already been turned down by the Finance Commission.

The Premier, M. Paul Boncour, aware of the danger, made it a question of confidence and gave the Left Majority the alternative of accepting the mainlines of the Government's plan of which this article was the cornerstone for turning out the Government.

President Lebrun took the unusual course of consulting M. Paul Boncour, for 45 minutes after the other Ministers had left the Elysee this morning in order to arrange for the sanctioning of a monthly vote on account for January 31, as the coffers are empty.

It is learned that this is constitutionally possible as it comes under the heading of current affairs and the Senate and Chamber of Deputies can accomplish the necessary formalities in time even if the new Ministry is not formed by January 31.

M. Herriot, a former Premier, declared that the Radicals would vote for the Government in order to save the Republic, but M. Blum announced that the Socialists could not support the Government on this point as it meant the sacrifice of the Socialist principles.

Members of the French Government drove to the Elysee at 7 a.m. and handed in their resignations to President Lebrun, who asked them to carry on the current business pending the formation of a new Cabinet.

M. De Ladorie, the Left Wing Radical is anticipated as the next Premier, as with the Left Wing majority the Premier must be a Radical or a Socialist. The latter are not yet ready to take power.

The former Premier, M. Chaumet, is also mentioned as a probable successor, with M. Herriot as Minister for Foreign Affairs, or possibly M. Herriot as Premier.

The debate was orderly and colourless until the vital moment was reached at 6 a.m. and the two previous votes of confidence were taken which the Government gained by a majority of about 100 votes on all the vital issues of the Commission's Finance Bill.

Another possible combination is a new Cabinet headed by the Left Party Senator.

The crisis occurred four days before the end of the month when the Treasury coffers will be empty and it will be impossible to raise money in time.

The defeat is due to the split between the two Wings of the Government's supporters, but when the Government ultimately refused to bond completely to the will of the Socialists, a split was inevitable.

ATTEMPTED ROBBERY

SAFE WITH \$3,000 UNTOUCHED

An attempted robbery took place yesterday at 189 Reclamation street, Yau-mai, when the flat above a firewood shop was entered by three or four men on the usual pretence of hiring a cubicle. They attacked the inmates and bound and gagged them. It seems that the robbers were disturbed in the act as they left without attempting to rifle the safe which contained over \$3,000 in cash. Up to a late hour last night no arrests had been made.

Advances:	Assets.	\$ c.
On account of Future Loans		4,139,702.46
Purchase of three Locomotives for Chinese Section, Kowloon-Canton Railway		407,468.20
Miscellaneous		112,688.68
Building Loans		1,000,781.43
Imprest Account		41,653.05
Subsidiary Coins		1,237,486.35
House Service Account		33,917.03
Investments:		
Surplus Funds		1,556,530.30
Crown Agents Remittances		28,724.41
Trade Loan Outstanding		946,751.50
Unallocated Stores (P.W.D.)		630,722.37
Unallocated Stores (K.O.R.)		185,948.21
Lorry Haulage Account		5,755.63
Treasurer		2,386,300.00
Joint Colonial Fund		4,969,108.25
On Fixed Deposit		1,720,000.00
Total		\$15,604,406.33
Joint Colonial Fund		\$2,000,000.00
Total		\$17,604,406.33

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JAPAN CAN MAKE NO MORE CONCESSIONS

REGARDING DRUMMOND-SUGIMURA FORMULA

(THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY)

Tokyo, Jan. 29. ACCORDING to Japanese Press reports Sir F. Lindley, when he visited Count Uchida yesterday, stated that the British Government had not yet abandoned hope of a settlement of the Sino-Japanese dispute under Paragraph IV of Article XV of the Covenant.

Sir F. Lindley is reported to have asked whether Japan could make concessions on some points in the Drummond-Sugimura formula, to which Count Uchida replied that Japan was not in a position to make further concessions.

MANCHUKUO CONSULATE ESTABLISHED AT CHITA

(THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY)

CHANGCHUN, Jan. 29. A MANCHUKUO Consulate has been established at Chita.

Consul Li-Yuan and vice-consul Yamamoto expect to arrive there on February 4.

SILVER MARKET

LONDON PRICES

(From Our Own Correspondent.)

LONDON, Jan. 28.

CLOSING SILVER PRICES IN LONDON TO-DAY WERE:—

Jan. 27 Jan. 28

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HINDENBURGH'S SOLUTION

OF GERMAN POLITICAL CRISIS

(THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY)

BERLIN, Jan. 29.

HERR HITLER as a mere figure-head Chancellor with von Papen as vice-Chancellor, but the effective ruler, is Pres. Hindenburg's solution of the German political crisis, according to a number of politicians. The vice-Chancellor's powers would be extended and no administrative measure would be sanctioned without von Papen's approval.

The same politicians declare that Hindenburg has barred from any Cabinet post Capt. Goerring, the Nazi president of the Reichstag.

GERMAN CABINET RESIGNS

VON PAPEN REQUESTED TO FORM GOVERNMENT

(THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY)

BERLIN, Jan. 29.

THE German Cabinet have resigned and President Von Hindenburg has accepted the resignation.

He has, however, requested Herr Von Papen to report on the possibilities of forming a Government on a broad Parliamentary basis.

It is understood that President Hindenburg requested Chancellor Von Schleicher to confront the Reichstag, submit a policy, and await further developments.

General Von Schleicher was unwilling to comply and obtained permission to discuss the situation with his colleagues, with the result that the Cabinet decided to resign.

Short-lived Cabinet.

BERLIN, Jan. 29.

The Von Schleicher Cabinet was the twentieth since Germany became a Republic and was in office for only 35 days, the shortest period since the days of the Bischoff Cabinet, with the exception of the 36 days in office of the last Imperial Cabinet of Prince Max von Baden, which was overthrown by the Revolution.

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WORLD'S ECONOMIC EQUILIBRIUM

SIR R. LINDSAY-ROOSEVELT CONFERENCE

(THROUGH REUTERS' AGENCY)

New York, Jan. 29. I AM more than hopeful of the outcome, declared Ambassador Sir Roland Lindsay before flying to Warm Springs to confer with Mr. Roosevelt, at whose cottage he arrived at midnight.

Mr. Roosevelt has superseded the State Department, declared the Warm Springs correspondent of the New York Sun as he has summoned his economic advisers and will define to Sir R. Lindsay the principle and formula for revising and settling down of the British debt, also a plan to restore the world's economic equilibrium.

RETURNING TO LONDON

(BRITISH WIRELESS SERVICE.)

Rugby, Jan. 28. At the request of his Government, Sir Ronald Lindsay, British Ambassador in Washington, is returning to London for a discussion of the war debts situation.

The Ambassador will sail from New York on January 31 and in his absence Mr. D'Arcy Osborne will become Charge D'Affaires.

THE NAVY

APPOINTMENTS

(Special Air-Mail Service)

LONDON, Jan. 11.

Lieut.-Comdr. C. B. Tinley, has been appointed to Kent, in command, (Jan. 11); Comdr. Sir J. M. Alleyne, Bt. D.S.O., D.S.C., to Tamar, (Feb. 1); Lt. Comdr. E. H. C. Branson to Tamar (March 1); Lt. Comdr. D. M. Branson to Egmont (Feb. 14) and Lt. Comdr. C. L. Robertson to Kent (Jan. 20); Lt. Engr. L. S. Poe to Egmont (Jan. 2).

Rear-Admirals Retired.

Amongst the five rear-admirals who retire on promotion is Eric G. Robinson V.C., O.B.E., who is 50 years of age and entered the Britannia in 1896. He was relieved on Dec. 29 as Captain of the Dockyard, Deputy Superintendent, and King's Harbour Master for Devonport, Berehaven and Pembroke by Capt. J. S. G. Fraser, D.S.O.

He specialised in torpedoes, and won his V.C. when torpedo officer of the battleship Vengeance at two months before the Army landed, and went ashore with a party, and advanced alone under heavy fire into an enemy's gun position which might well have been occupied. There he destroyed two guns. He refused to allow members of his demolition party to accompany him as their white uniforms rendered them conspicuous.

Two months later, when submarine E 18 ran aground in the Straits, he commanded a picket boat expedition which went up at night to destroy her so that she might not fall into Turkish hands. For this service he was specially promoted to commander, and he afterwards commanded monitor M. 21, and served as executive officer at the coastal motor-boat base at Osea Island.

As a captain, to which rank he was promoted in 1920, he has commanded the Sixth and Second Destroyer Flotillas up to 1926; the torpedo schoolship Defence in 1926-8; the cruiser Servitor in China in 1929-30; and the anti-aircraft ship Fignard, until her paying off a year ago, since when he has been King's Harbour Master at Devonport.

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HOME SPORT REVIEWED

Rugby: English and Welsh Trial Games; Soccer: Spurs and Sheffield Wed. to the Fore; Golf: Wethered Beaten by A. J. Peach; U. S. Ryder Cup Team.

(Special Air-Mail Service)

RUGBY FOOTBALL

London, Jan. 11.

England v. The Rest at Twickenham. London Jan. 7.—The final English Rugby Trial Match at Twickenham on Jan. 7 resulted in a win for England by 4 goals and 3 tries (29 pts.) to one goal (5 pts.) scored by The Rest. England had to meet a good deal of pressure at the start but scored a try after five minutes play, Aarvold being left unmarked on the blind side. He touched down in the corner. Black kicked an excellent goal. Directly afterwards the 'Rest' should have scored, a kick being given against England for foot-forward, but Troop's effort was just short. The crowd was roused to enthusiasm when Burland and Booth got on the move on the right wing. Booth ran right across to the left without being touched, but Harrison came across and tackled him. Black hit the post with a long kick from a penalty, and England maintaining the aggressive, though two strong bursts by Roncoroni temporarily drove them back. At half time England was leading by 10 pts to The Rest nil. A change was made in the England team, Goldson and Sime changing places and for a few minutes the new combination worked none too smoothly and it was not until the next try, scored by Booth from an interception that England's attack regained its rhythm. The last score of the match was a try by Aarvold.

The teams were: England—R. Jennings (Redruth); L. A. Boot (Headingley); R. A. Gerrard (Bath); D. W. Burland (Bristol); C. D. Aarvold (Blackheath); W. Eliot (Portsmouth Services); C. P. B. Goldson (Blackheath); A. Vaughan-Jones (Portsmouth Services); B. H. Black (Blackheath); R. Bolton (Wakefield); C. Webb (Devonport Services); N. L. Evans (United Services); R. J. Longland (Northampton); C. G. Gregory (Bristol); D. A. Kendrew (Woodford).

The Rest—S. A. Block (Harlequins); A. C. Harrison (Harlequins); J. A. Tallent (Blackheath); T. W. S. Malir Otley; A. L. Novis (Blackheath); T. C. Knowles (Birkenhead Park); W. A. Sime (Bedford); H. A. S. Malir (Otley); G. E. Valentine (Blackheath); N. A. Yock (Northampton); C. Lewis (Leicester); A. S. Roncoroni (Richmond); P. T. Clodier (Bath); C. L. Troop (Aldershot Services); W. H. Weston (Northampton).

The Welsh Trial. In the Welsh Trial Possibles outplayed the Probables by 15 pts. to 8 also on January 7. At the start the Possibles pressed and Bowett went through splendidly for a line try, which Jenkins converted. The Probables were kept on the defensive and a combined movement gave Mathews a try, which Jenkins again converted. In the second half the Probables improved, but the Possibles were still the better side. Wooler scored for the Possibles and Graham Jones and R. L. Jones for the Probables.

Other Games. In other games Blackheath scored 49 pts. against United Services 3 pts. The Services strove hard, but were outclassed on every side. At half-time Blackheath led by 26 pts to nil and it was not until just before the end that the Services scored a try.

The English Fifteen. The English Fifteen which met Wales at Rugby football on January 21 at Twickenham contained three new caps and 11 of the side which beat Scotland at Twickenham last year.

League Leaders Beaten. On January 3 the League Leaders were defeated at Sheffield, Sheffield Wednesday beating Arsenal by 3 goals to 2 and they thoroughly deserved their victory because they adapted themselves better to the trying ground conditions. When the game started, rain was falling heavily and the pitch was soon churned up. Naturally the ball was very heavy, and the circumstances demanded a first-time policy, which the Wednesday realised, and it was not until the game was over that the 'Swinging' about. On the other hand, Arsenal persisted in their short passing methods, which were not suitable on this occasion, however successful they may be on a dry ground.

Tottenham Hotspur v. Stoke City. Spurs won this big match by 3 goals to 2. Anticipation for a big crowd for the home match with Stoke City were fully realised for a quarter of an hour before the

start of play the attendance was bordering on 50,000. Stoke City won the toss, but in sixteen minutes after the start the 'Spurs' took the lead with a copy-book goal. Meadows and O'Callaghan started a movement and the latter, slipping the ball down the middle, Hunt ran on to it, and from the edge of the penalty area sent the ball like a rocket high into the net. Barely had the tremendous cheering subsided when Hunt was almost through again. Tottenham was now having all the play but after 25 minutes Meadows was hurt in a tackle and had to go off. It was a hard hard battle, every inch of the way being fought with grim earnestness but the 'Spurs' deservedly won because of superior science and speed on the ball.

Sunderland v. Arsenal. At Roker Park, Sunderland beat Arsenal by 3 goals to 2 on January 7. The Wearside chieftains, on by a crowd of 35,000, won by the same score as the Wednesday. Arsenal will have to look to its laurels for three reversals in five matches must have shaken their confidence, although they have doubtless had a trying time during the past four months.

Aston Villa (1) v. Bolton (0). January 7.—No finer defensive work has been seen at Burnden Park for a long time than that Aston Villa produced. The first half was fairly even during which Mandley scored in a melee. Blair and Mort and the half-backs tackled so tenaciously and well, and had such a great understanding that only once during a 35 minutes' storming was the Villa defence beaten.

University Golfers. In the Rye Foursomes for the second year in succession, Oriel College, Oxford, represented by the same players (D. H. R. Martin and A. J. Evans), won the Croome four-some shield of the Oxford and Cambridge Golfing Society at Rye on January 2, with a score of 25. Fourteen couples took part and out of that only one partnership lost up.

The President's Putter: Wethered Beaten in Final. A golfer who was not considered good enough for a place in the Oxford University team, won the Oxford and Cambridge Golfing Society's competition for the President's putter. In the 18-hole final at Rye on January 7 A. J. Peach beat R. H. Wethered by 5 holes and it may be said that never in this competition has there been a better match nor better golf played in it. Although Peach has never before played golf of this class, he has been a golfer for some time, it was said, a "Wethered" off this game" that he beat for that great player was playing right to form.

In the semi-final round Peach beat G. L. Adams, with whom he contended for the last place in the Oxford team in 1927, by 3 and 1, and Wethered beat H. C. Longhurst, the last Cambridge man in the competition, by 3 and 2. Longhurst won the first three holes from Wethered, but the former amateur champion won eight of the next ten holes.

In the final Peach was frequently outdriven; he lost the first hole, but became two up at the 9th, when his ball was half-buried in the turf fifteen yards from the hole he dug it out with a mashie and won the hole in 4. He lost the 12th, but won the 13th with a great run-up and held a 5-yard putt for a 3 and a win at the 16th. He missed a spoon shot at the 17th, which Wethered won, but held a great putt of two yards on the home green.

U.S.A. Ryder Cup Team. In the opinion of Gene Sarazen, holder of the British and American open golf championships, perhaps the former British amateur champion, who is now a professional American, should be the member of the U.S.A. professional team in the Ryder Cup match to be played at the Bellerose Golf and Country Club, New York, on March 24.

Macdonald Smith would be a suitable member of the team. Of the players mentioned only the champion himself, Diogenes Burke, Shute, and Hagen played the last Ryder Cup match.

WEEK-END SPORTING ACTIVITIES

BANJOLINA WINS TWO RACES

LOCH RYAN WINS CHINESE NEW YEAR STEEPLECHASE AT KWANTI

BRITANNIC HALL PAYS BIG DIVIDEND

[By "MORNING DEW"]

There was quite a large attendance at Kwanti yesterday when The Fanning Hunt and Race Club held their Chinese New Year Meeting and the programme of seven races provided plenty of excitement.

The Cash Sweep figures were on the small side, but the pari-mutuels proved very popular and some handsome dividends were paid out during the afternoon.

Festival Eve, a red-hot favourite for the China New Year Hurdle Race jumped the rails in the course of the race and allowed a rank outsider in Britannic Hall to come in and pay \$33 for a win. The pony won by six lengths from Smiling Commander, another outsider who finished second. Mr. Reidy's Canary was third.

BUCHANAN HOT FAVOURITE BUT BEATEN

Buchanan was a hot favourite for the last race of the day which was a flat race sprint over six furlongs. Mr. Ip Kui Ying, who has not been riding locally since his accident on Whoopee in the early part of last year, proved his popularity when the public made him favourite. The race, however, was won by Banjolina, ridden by Mr. G. U. da Roza, who led from start to finish.

Earlier in the day, Miss Fearon, riding Banjolina in the ladies race over half a mile had won with the pony. Miss Fearon is undoubtedly the most accomplished lady jockey in the Colony and the public made no mistake about her mount this time, the pony going to the post a hot favourite. The day's sport began in bright sunshine and there were many racing people present. His Excellency the Governor, Sir William Peel, and Lady Peel being early arrivals on the course.

In the very first race, an outsider, Country Club, ousted the favourite Black Maria on the post. Cloudy Eve had to go all out to win the second race from Celery, who put up a surprising good struggle. In the third race Britannic Hall paid the handsome dividend of \$53 on the \$2 winners tickets and those who backed him for a place received \$6.30. Smiling Commander paid \$12.30 for a place. Loch Ryan won as expected in the main race of the day and in the fifth event Miss Fearon had little difficulty in winning with Banjolina. The Volunteers (Race) provided a win for Red Leaves, who came along with a big rush in the last hundred yards to win from a rank outsider in Jan Stewer. The latter paid 5-1 for a place. Banjolina won again in the last race, but this time he was not a favourite and paid almost 2-1.

Race 1.

Mr. G. P. Ferguson's Country Club (Mr. Ferguson) 1
Miss L. Fearon's Black Maria (Mr. Schreiber) 2
Mr. A. H. Potts' Mouche (Mr. Hope) 3

Won by half a length; a length between second and third.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: \$11.80.
Place: \$3.80; \$2.50.

Also ran: Duke of Normandy (Mr. Kemble).

Race 2.

Mr. A. L. Birt's Cloudy Eve (Mr. Schreiber) 1
Mr. J. W. Hope's Celery (Mr. Hope) 2
Capt. P. L. Villar's Loch Ness (Mr. Jordan) 3

Won by 1½ lengths; many lengths between second and third.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: \$2.90.
Place: \$2.20; \$2.80; \$4.00.

Also ran: White Heather (Mr. Hall), Malakit (Mr. Pankhurst), Gertrude Lawrence (Mr. Walter).

Race 3.

Mr. A. H. Potts' Britannic Hall (Mr. Hope) 1
Miss L. Fearon's Smiling Commander (Mr. Poy) 2
Mr. L. Reidy's Canary (Mr. Ferguson) 3

Won by six lengths; three lengths between second and third.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: \$3.
Place: \$2.20; \$12.30; \$5.00.

Also ran: Festival Eve (Mr. Schreiber), Smiling Commander (Mr. Poy).

Race 4.

Mr. M. M. Watson's Anson (Mr. Ferguson) 3
Won by two lengths; many lengths between second and third.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: \$2.70.
Place: \$2.60; \$3.50.

Also ran: Just Imagine (Mr. Caplan).

Race 5.

Mr. Mok Hing Wing's Banjolina (Miss Fearon) 1
Mr. Heard's Christmas Belle (Miss Scott Harston) 2
Capt. R. H. Mould's The Quail (Miss Bonnar) 3

Won by two lengths; many lengths between second and third.

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Also ran: Much Ado (Miss King), Until Then (Miss Shenton), Jimmy (Miss Alabaster), Amos (Miss Dowbiggin).

Mr. H. C. Macnamara's Red Leaves (Mr. Ferguson) 1
Mr. B. C. Field's Jan Stewer (Mr. Field) 2
Mr. W. A. MacKinlay's Peter Davy (Mr. MacKinlay) 3

Won by half a length; a neck between second and third.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: \$3.50.
Place: \$2.50; \$10.20; \$4.00.

Also ran: Demurrer (Mr. Mosop), Pat (Mr. Davy), White Stars (Mr. Evans).

Mr. Mok Hing Wing's Banjolina (Mr. G. U. da Roza) 1
Mr. Peter Young's Buchanan (Mr. Ip Kui Ying) 2
Miss P. Scott Harston's Imperial Hall (Mr. Heard) 3

Won by three lengths; a length between second and third.

Pari-mutuel:—
Winner: \$5.00.
Place: \$3.20; \$2.50.

Also ran: Sanction (Mr. Caplan), City of Shanghai (Mr. Fung).

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LOCAL CRICKET

BOWLERS TRIUMPH OVER BATSMEN

FOUR GAMES IN DIVISION II. PLAYED TO A DECISION

OVERY'S FEAT AT K.C.C.: 7 FOR 25

Bowlers triumphed over batsmen on Saturday when no fewer than four league matches were played in the second division.

At King's Park the Royal Engineers and Signals dismissed the Navy for the paltry total of 44. Tucker and Anstruther doing all the damage, the former taking six wickets for 29 and the latter four for 10. The military side won the match by seven wickets.

The Club had an easy time with Recreo. After scoring 183 for the loss of seven wickets (Armstrong 55), they declared and sent the Portuguese team in. The latter were only able to collect 104 runs. Bishop for the Club bowled three overs, two of which were maidens and in the remaining one he took three wickets and conceded three runs.

At the K.C.C. the home team dismissed the R.A. for 77 runs. Overy, their star bowler, collecting seven wickets in six overs for 25 runs. Thanks to a 55 not out by Stapleton and 37 not out by Mackay, the K.C.C. managed to win by nine wickets.

The University went under to the Police on the latter's ground. The undergraduates batted first and scored 135 of which F. R. Zimmermann was responsible for 41. The Police replied with 168, passing their opponents' score with three wickets intact. E. R. Wynne was top-scorer with 58 runs.

LEAGUE II.

NAVY v. R.E. AND S.

At King's Park, the Royal Engineers and Signals beat the Royal Navy by 7 wickets.

Scores:—

Nav. Lt.-Comdr. Lloyd, c Tucker, 7

b Anstruther 7

Lt.-Comdr. Leung, c Tucker, 7

b Anstruther 7

Lt.-Comdr. Mason, c Marsden, b Tucker, 6

O. A. Crabtree, b Tucker, 2

Lt.-Comdr. Barry, b Anstruther, 2

Shipt. Beale, c Meachan, b Anstruther, 8

Sgt. Stapleton, b Tucker, 0

P.O. Cobb, not out 1

C.E.A. Willmott, b Tucker, 2

A.B. Holmes, b Tucker, 4

Extras (byes 4, leg byes 1) 5

Total 44

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.

Tucker 9 0 25 6

Anstruther 8 3 4 10 4

R.E. and S.

Cpl. Meachan, b Mason, 22

Lt. Walker, l.b.w., b Mason, 16

Spr. Tucker, c and b Barry, 4

Lt. Anstruther, not out 42

Col. Nosworthy, b Barry, 10

Sgt. Anderson, b Willmott, 9

Spr. Harding, b Crabtree, 6

Lt.-Col. Marsden, run out 0

Spr. Waldron, not out 10

Extras (byes 9, leg byes 1) 10

Total (for 7 wks.) 128

S.M. Jordan and L/Opl. Monaghan did not bat.

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.

Mason 11 1 34 2

Crabtree 8 0 32 1

Willmott 8 0 23 1

Barry 9 0 29 2

H.K.C.C. v. RECREO.

At the H.K.C.C., the Hong Kong Cricket Club beat the Club de Recreo by 78 runs.

Scores:—

Hong Kong C.C. H. J. Armstrong, c Barros, 58

b Lopes 58

A. K. Macnamara, c L. J. Silva, b Alves, 12

L. D. Kilbee, c P. M. Silva, b Alves, 54

C. W. E. Bishop, c and b Alves, 2

H. J. D. Lowe, b Alves, 0

C. E. Gahagan, b Alves, 7

R. S. W. Patterson, b Potts, 0

J. E. Potter, not out 22

H. D. Lawson, not out 12

Extras (byes 15, leg byes 1) 16

Total (for 7 wks., dec.) 183

P. E. Baskett and C. A. Wright did not bat.

Bowling Analysis.

O. M. R. W.

Alves 9 0 45 5

Prata 15 3 43 1

A. P. Gutierrez 5 0 49 0

L. J. Silva 3 0 12 0

Lopes 3 0 18 1

Club de Recreo.

P. M. N. da Silva, b Bishop, 17

H. A. Alves, b Kilbee, 5

A. Prata, b Wright, 10

H. A. Barros, run out 0

A. J. Gutierrez, b Bishop, 0

Extras (byes 1, leg byes 1) 2

Total 53

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AND NOTICE IS HEREBY ALSO GIVEN that the REGISTER OF MEMBERS OF the Company will be CLOSED from THURSDAY, the 2nd to THURSDAY, the 16th February, 1933, both days inclusive.

By Order of the Board,
W. F. SIMMONS,
Secretary.
Hong Kong, January 29th, 1933. [282]

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REMINDER.

SHAREHOLDERS are reminded that the first instalment of \$3 per share in respect of the New Shares offered to them by circular letter dated 14th January, 1933, is due for payment at the Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation, Hong Kong, on Monday, 30th January, 1933.

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NOEL BRAGA,
Secretary.
Hong Kong, 23rd January, 1933. [372]

HONG KONG AUTOMOBILE ASSOCIATION.

THE Annual Dinner-Dance will be held at the Peninsula Hotel on Friday, February 3rd, 1933.

Booking of tables is now open at the Hongkong and Peninsula Hotels. The charge is \$6.00 for each person and should be paid at the time of booking.

By Order
B. D. EVANS,
Hon. Secretary. [288]

HONG KONG FOOTBALL ASSOCIATION.

INTERPORT PROGRAMME

Thursday, January 26th,
Hong Kong v. Shanghai
Club Ground.

Saturday, January 28th,
Shanghai v. H.K. Chinese
Club Ground.

Monday, January 30th,
Shanghai v. United Service
Kowloon Ground.

All matches start at 3 p.m. sharp. Booking for the 26th & 28th for the covered and uncovered stands will open at Messrs. Anderson on Monday, the 23rd.

Prices:—
Covered Stand \$2.30.
Uncovered Stand \$1.20.

There will be no booking for the match on the 30th. Prices \$1.00 and 50 cents. All above prices include tax.

W. E. HOLLANDS,
Hon. Secretary. [287]

THE CORPSE THAT WALKED

GRIM SCENE ON EXECUTION GROUND.

Peiping, Jan. 11.—Four Peiping policemen broke records for this quarter mile when a dead man rose up and walked.

Five robbers had been executed by shooting outside the ancient wall of the Temple of Heaven. According to custom, they were allowed to lie some time to point a grisly warning to other would-be evildoers. Then the four policemen began to enclose them.

Four dead robbers were confined and then came the turn for the fifth, but, before the lid could be lowered, he "awoke," stood up and walked a step or two after crawling out of the coffin. The policemen ran for their lives and only came back after they saw the man collapse again.

He had not been killed by the bullet fired into the back of his neck. After his "resurrection," he begged to be shot again and the executioner had to be summoned again to give the coup de grace.

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SHANGHAI SOCCER TEAM BEATEN

(Continued from Page 10.)

goals. A mistake in the Shanghai defence enabled Fung to score with a great drive, and shortly afterwards, with the defence spread-eagled, Ip brought the score to five.

Shanghai:—Bradley, Voong and Turner; Hay, Gash and Vance; Keats, Jack, Collet, K. C. Chen and Hughes.

Combined Chinese:—Lim Thin Chan; Lee Tin Sang and Lau Mau; Leung Yin Chan and Lam Yuk Ying and Tong Kwan; Cheng Sui Hong, Tam Kong Pak, Fung King Cheong, Ip Pak Wa and Chan Kwong Lu.

LEAGUE FOOTBALL

THIRD DIVISION

LINCOLNS v. SIGNALS.

This game was played at Chatham Road and ended in an easy win for the Signals by six goals to two. The Signals had a fair share of the game in the first half and conceded only one goal, but in the second half they failed miserably, letting in no less than five goals. Evans (2), Dennis (2) and Clarke (2) scored for the Signals while Convey and Brown replied for the Signals.

RADIO v. R.A.F.

The Royal Air Force avenged their defeat at the beginning of the season on Saturday when they beat the Radio by six goals to one at King's Park. The Airmen had practically the whole of the game, and should have scored more than that but they played about with the ball too much. It must be said that the Radio fielded a weaker team than the last time.

ST. JOSEPH'S v. TAIKOO.

St. Joseph's repeated its feat of earlier in the season when they again beat Taikoo by eleven goals in their encounter at Happy Valley. The game was too one-sided to be interesting, and the Saints could have easily increased their score. A.M. Omar (6), L. Castilho (5), Azim (2) and T. Castilho (1) scored for them.

S. CHINA v. RECREIO.

South China were completely surprised by Recreio who held them to a draw of one all in their match at Caroline Hill. The Chinese were the better team throughout but were very poor in their passing. Lam Wing Kwong scored for them in the first half while Botelho equalised for the Portuguese.

INTERPORTERS ENTER-TAINED

COMBINED CHINESE TEAM TO VISIT SHANGHAI.

The Shanghai Interport Football team was entertained to a Chinese dinner by the Hong Kong Chinese Amateur Athletic Federation at the Chinese Merchants' Guild, China Building, on Saturday night.

Mr. Mok Ying Kwai presided, and among those present were Hon. Dr. S. W. Tse, Mr. Chiu Keung Wa, Mr. Wong Kam Ying, Mr. Mok Hing, Mr. Ho Yung Kwong, Mr. S. Strange, Mr. Pardoe, captain of the Hong Kong Interport team, and Mr. G. T. May.

In welcoming the guests, Mr. Mok remarked that this was the first opportunity the Federation had had of entertaining any Shanghai Interport football team, and intimated that a Combined Chinese football team will visit Shanghai either in May or June. He hoped that when the two teams met again, the Chinese would repeat their splendid performance of that afternoon (applause).

SERVICES v. SHANGHAI

ON KOWLOON GROUND TO-DAY.

The following players have been chosen to represent the Combined Services against the Shanghai Interport Football team on the Kowloon ground at 3.30 this afternoon:—

Johnson, Allan and Mullane; Davey, Pardoe and Robertson; Baldry, Rawson, Malpas, Ridley and Hocquard.

went very close on several occasions. M. W. Turner, the stand off half, crossed over for an unconverted try on the resumption, and J. P. Whitham, who was playing centre three-quarter instead of full-back, added three more points.

The closing minutes were packed with incident. J. A. R. Selby, the Colony skipper and scrum half, touched down between the posts after a pick up in the loose. McLeary converted the effort to give the Colony a clear lead of 16 points.

The Marines rallied, and a minute before time their captain, Blusser, broke through for an unconverted try.

The outstanding Colony players were Lammer, Whitham and Selby.

YESTERDAY'S MATCHES

SOUTH CHINA BEAT MACAO A ONE-SIDED MATCH.

A very poor football game was witnessed by a fairly large crowd at Caroline Hill, yesterday, when South China beat a team from Macao by six goals to nil. The game was too one-sided to be interesting, and in the later stages it developed almost into a farce. South China had practically the whole of the game, playing with the ball as they pleased, and as a matter of fact had they not done so, the score would have been much heavier.

The visitors were slow, and their footwork was only up to the standard of some second division matches seen locally.

No less than five goals were scored in the first half, Li Shek Yau (3), and Yeung Shiu Yik (2) being the scorers. It must be said, however, two of those goals came somewhat in the nature of gifts as the visitors' goalkeeper caught the ball on both occasions only to let it dropped in a rush.

Second Half.

The second half was a practice game for South China as they did with the ball whatever they liked. They tried long shots, passes and dribbling, and only scored when they felt like it. The way they played the game can be judged by the fact that they only scored one goal during this period and that was from Cheng Siu Hong, the Interporter.

The teams were as follows:—
South China: Lam Tin Chan; Li Tin Sang, Lam Mau; Leung Yin Chan, Wong Mee Shun and Tong Kwan; Li Shek Yau, Li Chi Ho, Tam Kong Pak, Yeung Shiu Yik and Cheng Siu Hong.

Macao:—Lee Onito and Melio; Maratharoon and Santos; Manhao, A. Couto, Queiroz, Gomes and Pereira.

JUNIOR SHIELD

ST. JOSEPH'S BEATEN

The first Junior Shield match was played at Caroline Hill, yesterday, between South China and St. Joseph's and ended in a win for the former by four goals to nil. In the first half the game was comparatively fast, but in the second, St. Joseph's seemed somewhat discouraged, and some of their players were criticised by the referee on several occasions.

Fau Ka Fung was the star forward for South China, scoring no less than three goals, and his brilliant leadership was also mainly responsible for many dangerous raids.

Within three minutes of the game, South China was awarded a penalty which Fau converted. A period of attack was then indulged in by St. Joseph's, and the South China's goal was rather lucky to have escaped from several hard shots.

In the second half, South China was vastly superior, as some of the St. Joseph's players went for the men instead of the ball. Leung Tat Wing scored the only goal in the second half from a nice corner kick.

The teams were:—
St. Joseph's: W. Lawrence; S. A. L. Rahman and J. Ward; E. Lawrence, G. Victor, T. Leonard; T. Ali, A. Ward, H. Souza, L. Souza and J. Fernandez.

South China: Chiu Fook To; Yu Hing Yue; Chang Wing Yue; Chung Fat Lam, Siu Ping Sun and Ip Koon Ming; Cheuk Sak Kam, Leung Tat Wing, Pau Ka Ping, Kam Chung Lam and Ng Po Kuen.

RUGBY

HONG KONG BEAT U.S. MARINES

TRIUMPHANT TOUR CONCLUDED

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

SHANGHAI, Jan. 28. (The Hong Kong Rugby team) concluded their triumphant visit to Shanghai to-day when they convincingly beat the formidable U.S. Marines by two goals and two tries (16 pts.) to a try (3 pts.) after leading by 5 pts. at the interval.

A large crowd was present when the game between Hong Kong and the Marines commenced this afternoon in sunny weather.

The game, however, proved colourless and disappointing, the Colony players showing a marked superiority which placed the issue beyond all doubt.

Play, however, opened in a sensational manner, for within three minutes of the kick off G. P. Lammer, the left wing three-quarter, scored a fine drive of a kick from down the field.

Dr. McLean added the goal points from a difficult angle to give Hong Kong a five points lead.

This concluded the scoring in the first half.

MANCHURIA MUST BE RESTORED

BEFORE CHINA WILL NEGOTIATE WITH JAPAN

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

SHANGHAI, Jan. 28.

"There is no room for compromise. China is unable to start negotiations with Japan unless Manchuria is restored." This declaration was made by Marshal Tuan Chi Jui in an exclusive interview with Reuter this morning.

"At this time, when the nation is in an unprecedented crisis, every Chinese citizen's duty is to protect the country against aggression, and it is necessary to abandon differences of opinion when the country is at stake."

With reference to the purpose of his visit to Nanking, Marshal Tuan declared he had no special purpose and that there was no special political significance attached to his visit.

The reason for his seeing General Chiang Kai Shek was that he was his former student, although in his capacity of private citizen he has contributed his view regarding the existing situation. "But what I did was to contribute. Whether it will be adopted is the Government's business."

The Marshal categorically denied the current reports that he was specially made the trip to Nanking to offer advice on the anti-Japanese campaign and that he favoured direct Sino-Japanese negotiations.

"All such reports are unfounded. They are pure Japanese Press fabrications, aiming at misleading the public," he said.

Anglo-Japanese Talk in Tokyo.

Tokyo, Jan. 27.

The British Ambassador, Sir Francis Lindley, visited Count Uchida this evening for the purpose of discussing League questions regarding the Shantung situation and other matters.

Details of the discussion are not available.

Quiet Anniversary in Shanghai.

SHANGHAI, Jan. 27.

Apart from commemorative meetings at which patriotic addresses were delivered, the first anniversary of the Shanghai "War" passed off quietly.

With the city being agitated for the New Year and crowded in the streets in holiday mood, a striking contrast was provided with the atmosphere of a year ago when the events leading up to the Sino-Japanese clash were gathering momentum minute by minute.

It was on the evening of January 23 last year, that Admiral Shiosawa issued his now historic statement saying that the Japanese naval forces intended to occupy the Shanghai area, and to prove that this task would take not one night but five weeks, and would require an army of 50,000 men.

Soviet Resents Japan's Policy.

Moscow, Jan. 27.

It is understood from Soviet circles that the Government is increasingly resentful of the Japanese policy, on account of frequent allegations that the Soviet Government is forming a secret alliance with China against Japan.

Well-informed circles declare that Japan is persisting in this policy in spite of protests from the Government.

Furthermore, Soviet officials regard as extremely unfair the statement made by the Japanese War Minister in the Upper House of the Diet that Japan will build an air force equal to the Russians, because M. Stalin's recent speech forecasted the possibility of hostilities with Japan.

First Three Parts of Report.

Drafted.

GENEVA, Jan. 27.

Good progress was made this morning at the meeting of the Committee of Nine, which re-assembled at 8 o'clock this evening to continue its discussions.

The meeting in the evening, except upon two points, completed the draft of the first three parts of the report, which will be read a second time to-morrow.

The preamble is very brief, consisting of just one sentence explaining the report. The second part deals with the history of the dispute, both from the Geneva and Far East end and gives a connected account of the origin based especially on the first eight chapters of the Lytton Report, the resolutions passed by both the Council and the Assembly and the documents issued by the League, as well as Consular despatches from the Far East.

Not Illegal.

Chapter Three and the conclusions drawn up by the League Secretariat comprises of 19 points based largely on Chapter Nine of the Lytton Report and certain passages extracted from other parts of the Lytton Report, such as the section stating that Manchukuo was of spontaneous growth.

The two points which failed to achieve unanimous approval were those dealing with the boycott and whether the Japanese acted in legitimate self-defence. The text as proposed by the Secretariat says that the boycott cannot be considered illegal when directed against a Power which is itself using military force.

Committee of Nine Makes Progress.

GENEVA, Jan. 27.

After 2½ hours the meeting of the Committee of Nine adjourned until this afternoon, having made considerable progress with the earlier paragraphs of the report re-stating the League case in the light of developments from the beginning of the dispute.

The Committee is still faced with very complicated amendments and has not yet decided in what form in which the recommendations contained in the Lytton Report will be embodied.

The recommendations, likewise, have not yet been touched upon, but it is clear that they will ultimately figure in the report of the Committee of Nine.

MASS MEETING AT SHANGHAI

ANNIVERSARY OF SHAI FIGHTING

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

NANKING, Jan. 28.

ALL public bodies in the Chinese capital are holding a mass meeting at 9 o'clock this morning in the National Theatre, the occasion being the anniversary of the outbreak of the Sino-Japanese fighting at Shanghai.

A one-minute silence will be observed here at 11.00 in honour of the war dead.

Among the resolutions to be adopted are:

(1) That a cable be sent to the League, drawing attention to the latest Japanese aggressions in China and urging effective measures to check further aggressions.

(2) That various cities throughout the country be urged to voluntarily raise funds for the purchase of fighting aeroplanes for air defence, at least each city contributing one machine.

(3) That a telegram of encouragement be sent to the Volunteers in Manchuria and the soldiers and the recovery of the lost territory.

(Continued on next column.)

AUSTRALIA TENNIS CHAMPIONSHIPS

GLEDHILL BEATS MCGARTH IN SEMI-FINAL

[THROUGH REUTER'S AGENCY.]

MELBOURNE, Jan. 28.

KEITH Gledhill defeated Vivian McGrath in the semi-final round of the Australian Lawn Tennis Championship here to-day. He won in straight sets against the conqueror of Ellsworth Vines, and will now meet Jack Crawford in the final.

McGrath lost by 6-4, 6-1, 6-1. The following were the results of the semi-finals in the Doubles:

Jack Crawford and A. Moon (Australia) beat Wilbur Allison and John Van Ryn (U.S.A.) 10-8, 6-3, 6-4.

Ellsworth Vines and Keith Gledhill (U.S.A.) beat Cummings and Hassett (Australia) 6-2, 6-3, 7-6.

Officers at present defending the Shanghai front.

(4) That telegrams be sent to all Government and Provincial military authorities, urging the necessity to prepare for resistance and the recovery of the lost territory.

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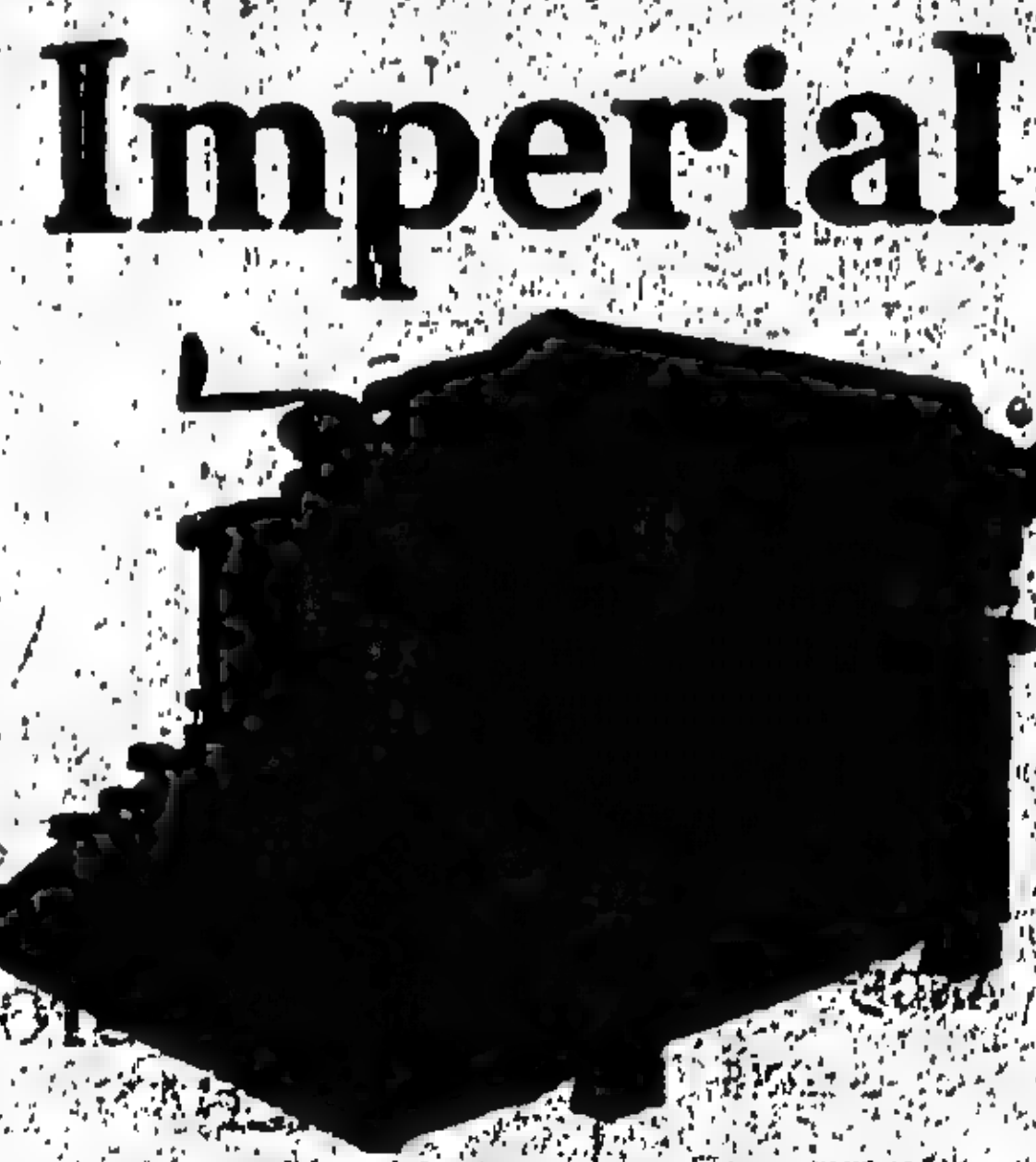
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Tilawa, B.I. (Apar), Feb. 10.
Kutsang, Jardine's, Feb. 16.
Taima, B.I. (Apar), Feb. 24.

Chelco.
Hopsang, Jardine's, Feb. 10.
Hansang, Jardine's, Feb. 17.

Dalry.
Linnam, B. & S., Jan. 30.
Franken, Melchers, Feb. 4.
Hector, B. & S., Feb. 4.

Foochow.
Hai Ching, Douglas, Jan. 31.
Hai Hing, Douglas, Feb. 2.
Hopsang, Jardine's, Feb. 10.
Hansang, Jardine's, Feb. 17.

Japan Ports.
Calchas, B. & S., Jan. 30.
Tottori Maru, N.Y.K., Jan. 30.
Suisang, Jardine's, Jan. 31.
Burgeland, Jenson, Feb. 1.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Feb. 1.
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Hilda, Dodwell's, Feb. 3.
Franken, Melchers, Feb. 4.
Pres. Taft, A.M. Line, Feb. 4.
Tanda, E. & A.S.S. Co., Feb. 5.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 5.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 5.
Malaya, Manners, Feb. 8.
Coblentz, Melchers, Feb. 10.
Corfu, P. & O., Feb. 10.
Tilawa, B.I. (Apar), Feb. 10.
Monealieri, Dodwell's, Feb. 12.
Phenius, B. & S., Feb. 12.
Loomedon, B. & S., Feb. 14.
Emp. of Britain, C.P.S., Feb. 15.
Pres. Jackson, Dollar's, Feb. 15.
Ixion, B. & S., Feb. 16.
Kutsang, Jardine's, Feb. 16.
Shan Tung, Gilman's, Feb. 16.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Feb. 17.
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Nackar, Melchers, Feb. 18.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 22.
Bangalore, P. & O., Feb. 24.
Comorin, P. & O., Feb. 24.
Taima, B.I. (Apar), Feb. 24.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, March 1.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., March 2.
Africa, Manners, March 2.
Pres. Madison, Am. Line, March 4.
Conte Verde, Dodwell's, March 4.
Nankin, P. & O., March 5.
Lah, Melchers, March 5.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., March 10.
Rampura, P. & O., March 11.
Tantalus, B. & S., March 11.
Assama Maru, N.Y.K., March 15.
Pres. Grant, Dollar's, March 15.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., March 17.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, March 17.
Dhntar, P. & O., March 19.
Chitral, P. & O., March 23.
Snales, Melchers, March 23.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., March 24.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, March 29.

Shanghai.
Calchas, B. & S., Jan. 30.
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Suizang, B. & S., Jan. 31.
Burgeland, Jenson, Feb. 1.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Feb. 1.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, Feb. 1.
Felix Roussel, Messageries, Feb. 1.
Foshing, Jardine's, Feb. 1.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, Feb. 1.
Tsinan, B. & S., Feb. 2.
Gange, Dodwell's, Feb. 2.
Glaucaus, B. & S., Feb. 2.
Kwangtung, B. & S., Feb. 2.
Adrasus, B. & S., Feb. 3.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 3.
Hilda, Dodwell's, Feb. 3.
Franken, Melchers, Feb. 4.
Langshan Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 4.
Pres. Taft, A.M. Line, Feb. 4.
Tanda, E. & A.S.S. Co., Feb. 5.
Chikang, Jardine's, Feb. 5.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 5.
Malaya, Manners, Feb. 8.
Hector, B. & S., Feb. 8.
Kwaisang, Jardine's, Feb. 8.
Coblentz, Melchers, Feb. 10.
Corfu, P. & O., Feb. 10.
Tilawa, B.I. (Apar), Feb. 10.
Monealieri, Dodwell's, Feb. 12.
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Dardanus, B. & S., Feb. 12.
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Pres. Jackson, Dollar's, Feb. 15.
Shan Tung, Gilman's, Feb. 16.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Feb. 17.
Emp. of Japan, Am. Line, Feb. 18.
Pres. Jefferson, Am. Line, Feb. 18.
Nackar, Melchers, Feb. 18.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 22.
Bangalore, P. & O., Feb. 24.
Comorin, P. & O., Feb. 24.
Porthos, Messageries, March 1.
Africa, Manners, March 2.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., March 2.
Conte Verde, Dodwell's, March 4.
Prest. Madison, Am. Line, March 4.
Nankin, P. & O., March 5.

Swatow.
Antung, B. & S., Jan. 31.
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Foshing, Jardine's, Feb. 1.
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Hai Hing, Douglas, Feb. 2.
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Hopsang, Jardine's, Feb. 10.
Hellas, Thoresen, Feb. 12.
Norviken, Jardine's, Feb. 12.
Hansang, Jardine's, Feb. 17.
Helios, Thoresen, Feb. 17.

Tientsin.
Hopsang, Jardine's, Feb. 10.
Hansang, Jardine's, Feb. 17.

Tsingtao.
Sunning, B. & S., Jan. 30.
Suizang, B. & S., Jan. 31.
Foshing, Jardine's, Feb. 1.
Franken, Melchers, Feb. 4.
Chikang, Jardine's, Feb. 5.
Kwaisang, Jardine's, Feb. 8.
Norviken, Jardine's, Feb. 12.

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Calchas, B. & S., Jan. 30.

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Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, March 1.
Glaucaus, B. & S., March 11.
Pres. Grant, Dollar's, March 15.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, March 29.

Halifax.
Silverwalnut, Furness, Feb. 8.
Javanese Prince, Furness, Feb. 20.

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Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., March 10.
Assama Maru, N.Y.K., March 15.
Pres. Grant, Dollar's, March 15.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., March 24.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, March 29.

Panama.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, Feb. 1.
Emp. of Britain, C.P.S., Feb. 15.
Pres. Jackson, Dollar's, Feb. 15.
Tai Ping Yang, Dodwell's, Feb. 16.
Heiyo Maru, N.Y.K., March 10.
Assama Maru, N.Y.K., March 15.
Pres. Grant, Dollar's, March 15.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, March 29.

Philadelphia.
Glaucaus, B. & S., March 11.

Portland.
Falstria, Manners, Jan. 31.

San Francisco.
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Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, Feb. 1.
Chichibu Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 5.
Emp. of Britain, C.P.S., Feb. 15.
Pres. Jackson, Dollar's, Feb. 15.
Tai Ping Yang, Dodwell's, Feb. 16.
Tatsuta Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 22.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, March 1.
Assama Maru, N.Y.K., March 15.
Pres. Grant, Dollar's, March 15.
Pres. Hoover, Dollar's, March 29.

Seattle.
Falstria, Manners, Jan. 31.
Pres. Taft, A.M. Line, Feb. 4.
Ixion, B. & S., Feb. 16.
Pres. Jefferson, Am. Line, Feb. 18.
Pres. Madison, Am. Line, March 4.
Tantalus, B. & S., March 11.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, March 18.

Vancouver, B.C.
Falstria, Manners, Jan. 31.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Feb. 1.
Ixion, B. & S., Feb. 16.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Feb. 17.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., March 2.
Tantalus, B. & S., March 11.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., March 17.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, March 18.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., March 24.

Victoria, B.C.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., Feb. 1.
Pres. Taft, A.M. Line, Feb. 4.
Ixion, B. & S., Feb. 16.
Emp. of Russia, C.P.S., Feb. 17.
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Agnes, B. & S., March 7.
Lah, Melchers, March 9.
Rampura, P. & O., March 10.
Assama, Messageries, March 14.
Assama, Maru, N.Y.K., March 15.
Pres. Grant, Dollar's, March 15.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., March 17.
Pres. Cleveland, A.M. Line, March 18.
Chitral, P. & O., March 23.
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SOUTHWARD. FROM HONG KONG TO COAST PORTS, MANILA, AUSTRALIA.

Australian Ports, East.
Nellore, E. & A.S.S. Co., Feb. 1.
Changte, B. & S., Feb. 17.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 20.
Ajax, B. & S., March 1.
Tanda, E. & A.S.S. Co., March 3.
Tai Ping, B. & S., March 17.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., March 25.

Bail.
Tijhadak, J.C.J. Line, Feb. 7.

Bangkok.
Hirundo, Thoresen's, Jan. 31.
Kwangchow, B. & S., Feb. 1.
Hinsang, Manners, Feb. 2.
Hinsang, Jardine's, Feb. 3.
Hiram, Thoresen, Feb. 7.
Hellas, Thoresen, Feb. 12.
Norviken, Thoresen, Feb. 12.
Helios, Thoresen, Feb. 17.

Batavia.
Tijhadak, J.C.J. Line, Jan. 31.
Ajax, B. & S., March 1.

Gizo and Ports.
Bremerhaven, Melchers, Feb. 5.

Macassar.
Tijhadak, J.C.J. Line, Feb. 7.

Manila.
Nellore, E. & A.S.S. Co., Feb. 1.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Feb. 3.
Pres. Polk, Dollar's, Feb. 4.
Pres. Jackson, Dollar's, Feb. 7.
Tijhadak, J.C.J. Line, Feb. 10.
Saarbrucken, Melchers, Feb. 10.
Troilus, B. & S., Feb. 11.
Perseus, B. & S., Feb. 14.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Feb. 16.
Changte, B. & S., Feb. 17.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, Feb. 18.
Pres. Coolidge, Dollar's, Feb. 21.
Kitano Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 25.
Formosa, Gilman's, Feb. 28.
Tanda, E. & A.S.S. Co., March 3.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, March 4.
Coblentz, Melchers, March 11.
Glaucaus, B. & S., March 11.
Titan, B. & S., March 14.
Emp. of Canada, C.P.S., March 17.
Tai Ping, B. & S., March 17.
Atsuta Maru, N.Y.K., March 25.

New Guinea.
Bremerhaven, Melchers, Feb. 5.

Rabat.
Nellore, E. & A.S.S. Co., Feb. 1.
Bremerhaven, Melchers, Feb. 5.
Tanda, E. & A.S.S. Co., March 3.

Sandakan.
Hinsang, Jardine's, Feb. 1.
Mausang, Jardine's, Feb. 16.

Sourabaya.
Tijhadak, J.C.J. Line, Feb. 7.
Ajax, B. & S., March 1.

Tulagi.
Bremerhaven, Melchers, Feb. 5.

WESTWARD. FROM HONG KONG TO EUROPE, AFRICA, ETC.

Aden.
Andre Lebon, Messageries, Jan. 31.
Marin Sanuto, Dodwell's, Feb. 1.
Memnon, B. & S., Feb. 1.
Burdwan, P. & O., Feb. 4.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 4.
Naldera, P. & O., Feb. 11.
Gange, Dodwell's, Feb. 12.
Felix Roussel, Messageries, Feb. 14.
Antenor, B. & S., Feb. 15.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 18.
Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 23.
G. Metzinger, Messageries, Feb. 23.
Formosa, Gilman's, Feb. 28.
Burgenland, Jenson, March 4.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, March 4.
Coblentz, Melchers, March 11.

Genoa.
Loverkusen, Jenson, Feb. 4.
Pres. Polk, Dollar's, Feb. 4.
Saarbrucken, Melchers, Feb. 10.
Nordmark, Jenson, Feb. 17.
Delagoa Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 16.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, Feb. 18.
Formosa, Gilman's, Feb. 28.
Burgenland, Jenson, March 4.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, March 4.
Coblentz, Melchers, March 11.

Gibraltar.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 4.
Naldera, P. & O., Feb. 11.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 18.
Rajputana, P. & O., Feb. 23.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., March 4.
Somali, P. & O., March 4.
Corfu, P. & O., March 11.
Hakozaki Maru, N.Y.K., March 15.

Glasgow.
Perseus, B. & S., Feb. 14.
Antenor, B. & S., Feb. 15.
Titan, B. & S., March 14.
Hector, B. & S., March 15.

Gothenburg.
Formosa, Gilman's, Feb. 28.

Hamburg.
Java, Manners, Jan. 30.
Havel, Melchers, Jan. 31.
Memnon, B. & S., Feb. 1.
Loverkusen, Jenson, Feb. 4.
Schlesien, Melchers, Feb. 9.
Saarbrucken, Melchers, Feb. 10.
City of Lyons, Bank Line, Feb. 12.
Automedon, B. & S., March 29.

Harare.
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AMOI & SHANGHAI	"TSINAN"	On 1st Feb. 5 p.m.
SWATOW & SHANGHAI	"KWANGTUNG"	On 2nd Feb. 10 a.m.
AMOI	"ANKING"	On 2nd Feb. 5 p.m.
KOBE, YOKOHAMA & HAIKOW	"YINGCHOW"	On 3rd Feb. 5 p.m.
SHANGHAI, WUZHAI, CHANGCHOW & DAIREN	"CHINHUA"	On 4th Feb. 5 p.m.
CHANGCHOW & TIENTSIN	"CHEKIANG"	On 4th Feb. 5 p.m.
AMOI & SHANGHAI	"ANHUI"	On 4th Feb. 5 p.m.
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"TAMING"	On 5th Feb. 9 a.m.
SWATOW & SINGAPORE	"KAYING"	On 5th Feb. Noon
SWATOW, SHANGHAI & TIENTSIN	"SOOCHOW"	On 7th Feb. 10 a.m.
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STATION			BAROMETER AT SEA LEVEL			WIND			TEMPERATURE		
			Inches	Millim.		Direction	Force		Air	Sea	Wet Bulb
Wladivostok	12	30.16	786.0	14	WSW	1	b	6	30.13	785.4	1
Nemuro	11	29.90	759.5	11	WNW	1	b	5	29.88	758.5	1
Hakodate	10	29.94	760.5	10	NNW	1	b	5	29.96	758.5	1
Tokio	9	30.04	763.0	9	N	1	b	5	30.04	763.0	1
Kochi	8	30.18	768.5	8	WSW	1	b	5	30.14	765.5	1
Nagasaki	7	30.23	768.5	7	N	1	b	5	30.22	767.5	1
Kagoshima	6	30.24	768.0	6	NNW	1	b	5	30.24	763.0	1
Oshima	5	30.18	766.5	5	NNW	1	b	5	30.16	766.0	1
Naha	4	30.18	766.5	4	N	3	b	5	30.20	767.0	1
Ishigakijima	3	30.22	767.5	3	NNE	1	b	5	30.24	763.0	1
Bonin Island	2	30.35	770.3	2	NW	4	b	6	30.40	769.0	1
Chefoo	15	30.35	770.3	15	NW	4	b	6	30.38	771.4	21
Shanghai	14	30.50	774.6	14	WNW	4	b	6	30.50	774.6	15
Gusai	13	30.49	774.4	13	WNW	4	b	6	30.52	775.2	29
Wenchow	12	30.20	769.5	12	E	2	b	6	30.50	771.0	30
Foochow	11	30.32	770.1	11	E	2	b	6	30.34	770.6	45
Amoy	10	30.32	770.1	10	E	2	b	6	30.34	770.6	50
Swatow	9	30.37	771.5	9	NNW	2	r	5	30.34	770.5	47
Taihu	8	30.29	769.3	8	N	4	o	5	30.17	768.3	49
Tainan	7	30.25	769.3	7	N	4	o	5	30.17	768.4	47
Koshun	6	30.17	766.4	6	N	2	o	5	30.12	765.0	51
Pescadore	5	30.28	769.2	5	NNE	6	r	5	30.21	767.4	52
Hong Kong	14	30.26	768.6	14	N	2	bo	6	30.27	768.8	17
Gap Rock	13	30.27	768.8	13	N	5	o	6	30.26	768.3	61
Macao	12	30.26	768.6	12	N	4	o	6	30.23	767.9	43
Hoihow	11	30.42	772.8	11	NE	4	o	6	30.17	766.2	61
Pratas Island	10	30.14	765.5	10	NNE	6	d	6	30.20	769.3	48
Phulieu	9	30.51	769.8	9	NNE	1	c	7	30.17	765.3	68
Tourane	8	30.15	765.8	8	N	6	o	7	29.96	761.0	70
Cape St. James	7	29.90	759.4	7	E	5	z	8	30.08	762.7	68
Beaso	14	30.01	762.8	14	NNE	4	o	6	...	...	...
Aparr	13	29.98	761.8	13	NE	4	o	6	...	...	...
Tuguegarao	12	29.99	759.4	12	NNW	...	...	...	...	...	...
Vigan	11	29.89	759.3	11	NNW	...	...	...	...	...	...
Manila	10	29.89	759.3	10	NNW	...	...	...	...	...	...
Lepaspi	9	29.85	758.2	9	E	4	o	6	29.92	760.3	74
Calbayog	8	29.88	757.6	8	NNE	4	d	6	29.92	760.0	79
Palawan	7	29.80	757.0	7	NE	4	bo	6	...	...	...
Cebu	6	29.75	756.5	6	E	2	r	5	...	...	...
Surigao	5	29.75	756.5	5	E	2	r	5	...	...	...
Saipan	11.00	29.50	767.0	11	NNW	4	b	4.23	29.87	768.7	74
Guam	12.23	29.50	767.0	12	NNW	4	b	4.23	29.88	768.8	74
Yap	11.00	29.78	756.4	11	NE	4	bo	4	29.82	757.5	78
Palau	11.00	29.78	756.4	11	NE	4	bo	4	29.82	757.5	78
Labuan	14	29.95	760.7	14	N	6	bo	6	29.91	759.6	78

January 29d. 10h. 40m.—The anticyclone is centred over the lower Yangtze Valley, and has decreased slightly in intensity. Fresh to strong monsoon will prevail along the China coast and the northern China Sea. Hong Kong rainfall for the 24 hours ending at 10 a.m. to-day, 0.60 inch. Total since January 1, 0.48 inches, against an average of 1.28 inches.

FORECAST FOR THE 24 HOURS ENDING AT NOON ON JANUARY 30.

A.—Shanghai to Tientsin ... N. and N.E. winds, fresh.
B.—Tientsin to Hong Kong ... N.E. winds, fresh; fine.
C.—Hong Kong to Gap Rock ... N.E. winds, fresh; fine.
D.—Hong Kong to Hainan Straits ... N. and N.E. winds, fresh to strong.
E.—North China Sea ... N. and N.E. winds, fresh to strong.

C. W. JEFFRIES, Director.

HONG KONG METEOROLOGICAL REGISTER.

Hong Kong Observatory, January 30.

	Previous Day	On 29th Jan.	On 30th Jan.
Barometer	30.24	30.33	30.23
Temperature	53	52	57
Humidity	43	41	49
Wind	N	N	E
Direction	N	N	E
Force	2	3	1
Weather	0	30	0
Rain	0.00	0.00	0.00

Highest open-air Temperature, 58.55

Lowest open-air Temperature, 28.47

B.—Blue sky; C.—Cloudy; D.—Drizzle; F.—Fog; L.—Lightning; M.—Mist; O.—Overcast; P.—Passing Showers; Q.—Squalls; R.—Rain; T.—Thunder.

ADVERTISED SAILINGS FROM HONG KONG.

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See.

Andre Lebon, Messageries, Jan. 31.
Havel, Melchers, Jan. 31.
Marin Sanuto, Dodwell's, Feb. 1.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 4.
Pres. Polk, Dollar's, Feb. 4.
Schlesien, Melchers, Feb. 4.
Saarbrücken, Melchers, Feb. 10.
Gange, Dodwell's, Feb. 12.
Felix Roussel, Messageries, Feb. 14.
Delagoa Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 16.
Pres. Adams, Dollar's, Feb. 18.
Suwa Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 18.
Franken, Melchers, Feb. 23.
Hilda, Dodwell's, March 3.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., March 4.
Pres. Harrison, Dollar's, March 4.
Moncalieri, Dodwell's, March 5.
Goslar, Melchers, March 6.
Coblenz, Melchers, March 11.
Porthos, Messageries, March 14.
Conte Verde, Dodwell's, March 16.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., March 18.
Aramis, Messageries, March 23.

Valencia.

Delagoa Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 16.

Venice and Trieste, etc.

Marin Sanuto, Dodwell's, Feb. 1.

Gange, Dodwell's, Feb. 12.

Hilda, Dodwell's, March 3.

Moncalieri, Dodwell's, March 5.

Conte Verde, Dodwell's, March 16.

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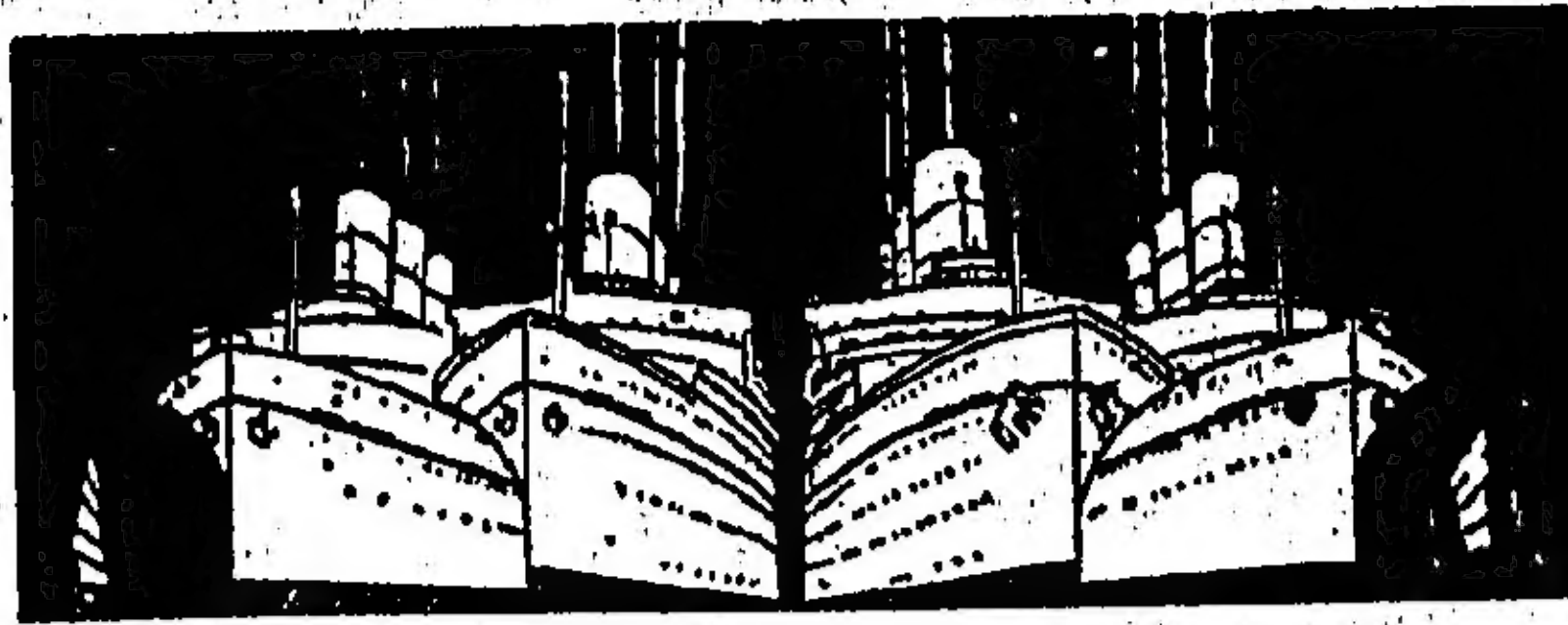
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Adrastrus, B. & S., Feb. 3.
Aeneas, B. & S., March 7.
Africa, Manners, March 2.
Agapenor, B. & S., March 11.
Akita Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 14.
Assama Maru, N.Y.K., March 5.
Automedon, B. & S., Feb. 17.
Bangalore, P. & O., Feb. 22.
Bengal Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 2.
Bhutan, P. & O., March 18.
Bokuyo Maru, N.Y.K., April 19.
Bremerhaven, Melchers, Jan. 20.
Burgeland, Jensen, Feb. 1.
Burdwan, P. & O., Feb. 3.
Changte, B. & S., Feb. 10.
City of Khios, Bank Line, March 6.
Coblenz, Melchers, Feb. 10.
Comorin, P. & O., Feb. 23.
Conte Verde, Dodwell's, March 4.
Corfu, P. & O., Feb. 2.
Dardanus, B. & S., Feb. 11.
Delagoa Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 15.
Democritus, B. & S., March 17.
Diomed, B. & S., March 26.
Elpenor, B. & S., March 11.
Emp. of Asia, C.P.S., Feb. 16.
Emp. of Britain, C.P.S., Feb. 11.
Emp. of Japan, C.P.S., Feb. 3.
Eurymachus, B. & S., March 18.
Felix Roussel, Messageries, Feb. 1.
Franken, Melchers, Feb. 4.
Fushimi Maru, N.Y.K., March 3.
Gange, Dodwell's, Feb. 12.
Gingo Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 10.
Hakone Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 3.
Havel, Melchers, Jan. 30.
Heior, B. & S., Feb. 4.
Hiei Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 19.
Hilda, Dodwell's, Feb. 2.
Iacon, B. & S., Feb. 8.
Kishu Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 24.
Lahn, Melchers, March 9.
Leonard, B. & S., Feb. 12.
Lima Maru, N.Y.K., April 15.
Lusan Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 3.
Lynx, Maru, N.Y.K., March 15.
Malacca Maru, N.Y.K., Feb. 23.

HONG KONG TIDE TABLE.

From January 30, to February 5 1933.

HIGH WATER.			LOW WATER.		
Days of Week.	Date of Month.	Hong Kong Standard Time.	Height.	Hong Kong Standard Time.	Height.
Mon.	30	h. m.	ft. in.	h. m.	ft. in.
		13 09	5 0	09 24	17 49
Tues.	31	0 07	6 4	08 52	16 52
Wed.	1	0 31	6 1	18 45	16 45
		14 04	5 1	19 58	16 58
Thur	2	0 06	4 6	07 25	16 25
		14 36	5 1	11 29	16 29
Fri.	3	0 130	3 8	07 34	16 34
		15 15	5 3	23 10	16 10
Sat.	4	0 168	2 1	08 35	16 35
		16 14	5 5		
Sun.	5	17 31	5 7	00 46	16 46



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HIKAWA MARU... (Starts from Kobe) Wednesday, 1st Feb.
HIYE MARU... (Starts from Kobe) 20th Feb.

LONDON, MARSEILLES, ANTWERP, ROTTERDAM.

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HAKONE MARU... Saturday, 4th Feb.

SUWA MARU... Saturday, 18th Feb.

FUSHIMI MARU... Saturday, 4th March

SYDNEY & MELBOURNE via Manila & Ports.

KITANO MARU... Saturday, 25th Feb.

ATSUTA MARU... Saturday, 25th March

BOMBAY via Singapore, Penang & Colombo.

GINTO MARU... Saturday, 11th Feb.

SOUTH AMERICA (West Coast) via Japan, Honolulu.

Los Angeles, Mexico and Panama.

HEIYO MARU... Friday, 10th March

NEW YORK, BOSTON via PANAMA

LIVERPOOL via Port Said, Beyrouth, Istanbul, Piraeus

Genoa & Valencia.

CALCUTTA via Singapore, Penang & Rangoon.

MURORAN MARU... Wednesday, 8th Feb.

HANGHAI, KOBE & YOKOHAMA.

TOTTORI MARU... Monday, 20th Jan.

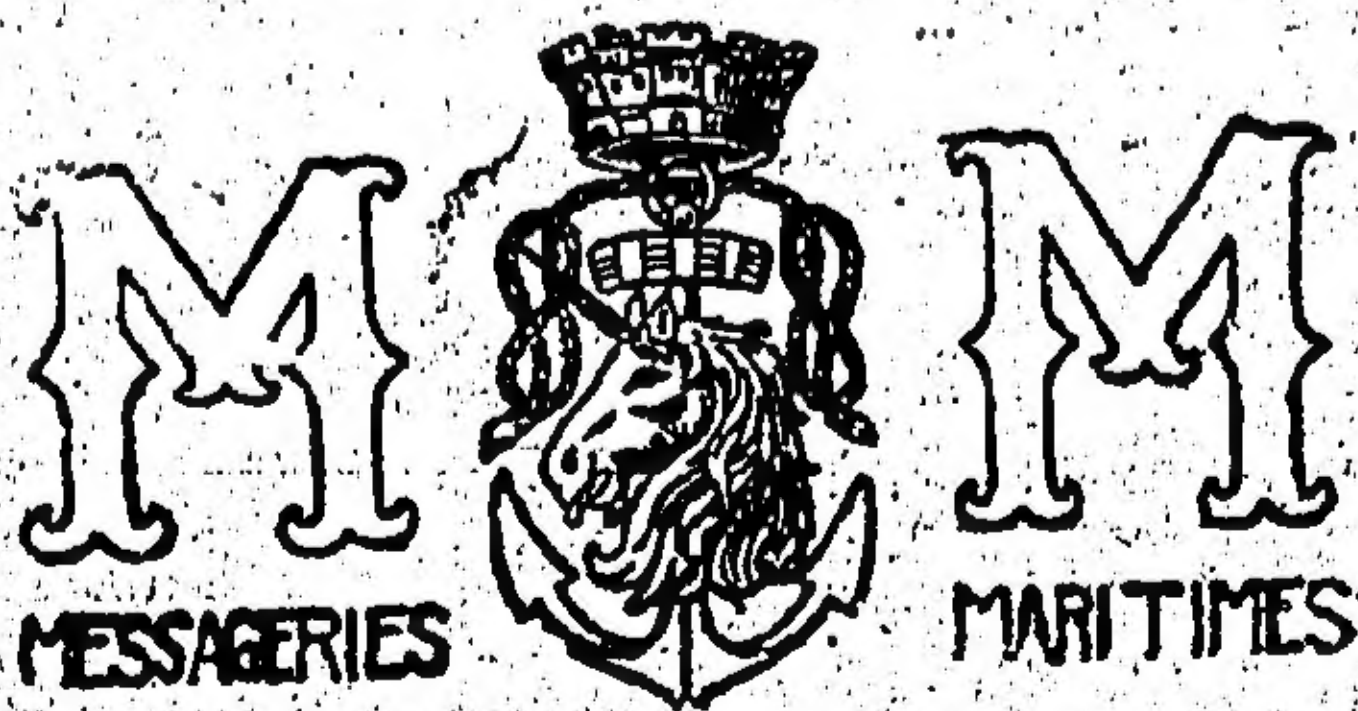
HAKOZAKI MARU... Friday, 3rd Feb.

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Shipping News

Week-End Statement, Waterfront News.

YESTERDAY'S FREIGHT RETURNS

During the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. yesterday a total of 11 ships brought 15,301 tons of cargo to the Colony, and carried 10,282 tons through ports. These ships brought 216 Asiatic deck passengers to Hong Kong. During the period under review 14 ships left the Colony.

During the 24 hours ended at 9 a.m. on Saturday a total of 6 ships brought 6,046 tons of cargo to the Colony, and carried 12,242 tons through ports. These ships brought 86 Asiatic deck passengers to Hong Kong. During the period under review 6 ships left the Colony.

SHIPS IN HARBOUR.

The following merchant ships were in harbour yesterday:—

Wharves.

Kowloon:—Empress of Canada, Tokiwa Maru.
Holt's:—Pineas.
China Merchants:—Wing Lee.
O.S.K.:—Canton Maru.
Douglas Laprak:—Hayang.

Docks.

Kowloon:—Empress of Russia, Yatshing, Prominent, Pronto, Sealaria, Yuen Sang, Hai King, Limchow.
Taikoo:—Kueichow, Chungking, Anking, Szechuen, Fuan, Lyeemoon, Chichibu Maru, Chengtu.

Buoys.

No. A3—Calcutta Maru.
No. A12—Maudslayi Maru.
No. B2—Kwangchow.
No. B3—Lungshan.
No. B4—Pongtong.
No. B6—Shunchih.
No. B7—Hengshan.
No. B8—Tonkin.
No. B9—Tchekam.
No. B11—Haidia.
No. B11—Dumont D'Urville.
No. B12—Michael Jensen.
No. B15—Antung.
No. B16—Fingal.
No. B18—Hermud.
No. B20—Linan.
No. B21—Taming.
No. B22—Hang Sang.
No. B23—Shogun Maru.
No. C1—Graciosa.
No. C2—Hirudoi.

WARSHIPS IN PORT.

The following warships were in port yesterday:—

Basin:—Tamar.
South Wall:—Oswald and Osiris.
East Wall:—Herald, Cornflower, Odin, Otus.
North Wall:—Moth.
North Arm:—Keppel, Witch, Whitehead, Veteran.
West Wall:—Submarines: Pandora, Proteus, Phoenix, Perseus, Olympus, Orpheus and Parthian.
Dock:—Medway.
No. 1 Buoy:—Hermes.
No. 3 Buoy:—Cornwall.
No. 5 Buoy:—Berkwick.
No. 6 Buoy:—Dunbar.
No. 12 Buoy:—Whitall.
No. 13 Buoy:—Wren and Verity.
Foreign:—U.S. gunboat Asheville.

ARRIVALS.

January 27.

Hinsang, British str., 1,888 tons, Capt. A. D. Kelman, from Sandakan, buoy No. B22—J.M. & Co.
Linan, British str., 1,366 tons, Capt. G. Turnbull, from Amoy, buoy No. B20—B. & S.
Pres. Taft, American str., 8,416 tons, from Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf—A.M.L.

January 28.

Falstria, Danish str., 2,771 tons, Capt. P. Frimann, from Shanghai, Stonecutters Anchorage—John Manners & Co.
General Pershing, American str., 4,792 tons, Capt. J. S. Smith, from Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf—States & Co.
Glancus, British str., 4,777 tons, Capt. G. Leelle, from Manila, Holt's Wharf—B. & S.

Haidia, British str., 1,144 tons, Capt. A. Hall, from Swatow, buoy No. B10—Wo Fat Sing.
Hengshan, British str., 1,022 tons, Capt. E. Huensner, from Saigon, buoy No. B7—Wallam & Co.
Hermud, Norwegian str., 840 tons, Capt. S. Elissen, from Bangkok, buoy No. B18—Thorsen & Co.

Michael Jensen, Danish str., 1,242 tons, Capt. F. Thaysen, from Bangkok, buoy No. B12—Chiu Sang Hong.
Peiping, Swedish str., 2,335 tons, Capt. Borin, from Shanghai, buoy No. A2—Gilmus & Co.

Pongtong, British str., 1,001 tons, Capt. R. C. Freckleton, from Saigon, buoy No. B8—Sheung Lee.
Shun Chib, British str., 1,881 tons, Capt. W. Lee, from Saigon, buoy No. B2—Wo Fat Sing.

Tonkin, French str., 2,005 tons, Capt. J. Bonnaville, from Kowloon, buoy No. A2—N.Y.K. (Continued on page 16 of next column)

PASSENGERS

Arrivals.

The following passengers arrived at Hong Kong on Saturday by the P. & O. s.s. Carthage:—Mr. H. S. Arathoon, Mrs. K. P. Atkinson, Mr. and Mrs. J. Adam, Miss M. G. Adam, Mr. and Mrs. F. P. Anslow, Miss W. S. Anslow, Lady Bradford, Lady Bissett, Mrs. G. Bannister, Mrs. J. S. Bretz, Mr. J. I. Barnes, Mr. S. J. Bradwell, Mr. R. J. Bonst, Mr. G. W. Coffey, Mrs. S. Cayzer, Miss A. Cayzer, Miss M. F. Conner, Surg.-Cdr. H. W. Fitzroy-Williams, Mrs. Fitzroy-Williams, Mr. and Mrs. A. Foster, Mr. Y. K. Gharikhanian, Miss K. E. Gordon, Mr. and Mrs. W. Hisgrove, Mr. and Mrs. J. Owen Hughes, Mr. and Mrs. A. T. Hamilton, Mr. G. R. Horridge, Mr. B. H. Jones, Miss R. M. James, Mr. and Mrs. W. J. Johnston, Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Jeffries and infant, Mr. J. H. Kerr, Mr. J. F. Kennedy, Mr. C. L. Leong, Mr. and Mrs. K. C. Lung, Mr. R. S. Logan, Mr. A. Longari, Mr. T. G. McGann, Mrs. Amy Ma, Mr. W. E. Meadows, Ldg. Cook A. E. G. Mison, Mr. L. H. Moorman, Mr. E. T. E. Nash, Miss M. D. Purchas, Mr. H. H. Pegg, Capt. and Mrs. E. Prigent, Miss E. A. Prigent, Mr. and Mrs. R. A. Rogers, Miss Rogers, Mr. and Mrs. H. H. Rose and infant, Mr. W. Reynolds, J.P., Mr. and Mrs. A. Shister, Mrs. P. M. Smith, Miss E. Smith, Ord. Art. E. D. Shoemith, Mrs. J. D. Southern, Mrs. K. L. Turner, Miss D. J. Turner, Mr. J. K. Thomson, Mrs. M. S. Wood, Mr. A. Walker.

Departures.

The following passengers left by the P. & O. s.s. Carthage on Saturday:—Mr. H. F. Ali, Mr. J. C. Amour, Mr. A. E. Bailey, Miss Bailey, Mr. C. Bailey, Miss L. L. Betts, Lady Bradford, Miss Binnister, Mr. A. E. Bradley, Mr. K. H. Richard, Mrs. M. Blanford, Mr. A. Balle, Mr. T. M. Chow, Mr. T. S. Chao, Mr. R. W. Coulfield, Mr. R. B. Clarke, Miss H. Condon, Mr. K. W. De Meester, Mr. R. W. Danby, Mr. F. Dowdswell, Pte. J. Eagle, Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Eaton, Mr. and Mrs. L. I. Fletcher, Mrs. A. E. Green and child, Mr. H. V. Gullston, Mr. A. Gunner, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Gedy, child and infant, Mrs. A. F. Hindle, Mr. W. F. Hiltche, Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Hartley, Mr. H. D. Hukumatrai, Dr. R. J. C. Hoeppli, Mr. H. Hobdon, Mr. and Mrs. G. A. Johnson and child, Mr. Kam Charlie, Mr. Kam Gim Hock, Sgt. G. Kelly, Mr. R. K. Kopelman, Mr. K. C. Lee, Mr. F. Y. Lee, Mr. F. M. Liu, Mrs. H. Low, Mrs. L. H. Lovely and two children, Mr. M. Lee, Mr. H. R. Marchant, Mr. T. L. Ma, Mr. W. W. Murdoch, Mr. A. Murphy, Mr. R. P. Mahraj, Mr. N. C. Macgregor, Mr. R. F. Marchisio, Mr. B. H. Mahdani, Mr. I. B. Newbigging, Miss E. Nevill, Mr. W. D. Procter, Mr. F. S. Pettifer, Mr. W. T. Ryland, Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Reay, Mr. R. W. Rice, Mr. N. Robinson, Mr. W. Russell, Mr. W. P. Shu, Mr. G. C. Strachan, Mr. M. Sheehan, Miss M. Stott, Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Scarr, Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Taylor, Mr. T. L. Tseng, Mr. N. S. Tai, Mr. G. B. Tave, Mr. J. A. Wilson, Mr. I. S. White, Mrs. L. A. Woods, Mr. S. S. Wilkinson and infant, Mr. T. Y. Wong, Mr. Yao Yun Ho.

The following passengers left by the P. & O. s.s. Rajputana for Shanghai and Japan on January 29:—Mrs. Bolton, Mr. Inglis, Mr. H. H. Yule, Mr. A. K. Taylor, Rev. Father H. Suarez, Sister P. Berclama, Mr. F. H. Hill, Mr. W. C. Macdowell, Mr. H. J. Wallem, Mr. B. M. Tyler, Mr. Sun Tse Ping, Mr. T. V. S. Skinner, Mr. V. N. Stepanoff, Mr. O. A. Kriloff, Mr. V. I. Ivanoff, Mr. B. G. Ivanchenko, Mr. V. P. Divimont, Mr. V. L. Veriga, Mr. A. L. Usiantsev, Mr. F. M. Looshipin, Miss A. Z. Davies, Mrs. J. Moodie, Mr. K. S. Wang, Mr. T. S. Jim, Mr. Y. Wang, Mr. Y. C. Yuan, Mr. K. Y. Chen, Mr. David Lam, Mr. Y. Chan, Mr. W. H. Daub, Mr. H. B. Rowan, Mr. J. V. Carroll, Mr. Steadon Cheng, Mr. A. W. Sanderson, Mr. G. R. Christie.

C. Wan, buoy No. B8—M.M. & Co.

January 29.

Haiching, British str., 1,284 tons, Capt. C. H. Farrar, from Swatow, Douglas Wharf—Douglas & Co.

Skuld, Norwegian str., 640 tons, Capt. H. Roberg, from Bangkok, buoy No. B17—K. Larsen & Co.

Suiyang, British str., 1,564 tons, Capt. Byrns, from Swatow, buoy No. B14—B. & S.

Tokiwa Maru, Japanese str., 4,290 tons, Capt. E. Hino, from Shanghai, Kowloon Wharf—N.Y.K.

Tsinan, British str., 2,100 tons, Capt. W. Shaw, from Amoy, buoy No. B21—B. & S.

Calcutta Maru, Japanese str., 2,412 tons, Capt. T. Iida, from Swatow, buoy No. A2—N.Y.K.

THE CHINA COAST

CHANGES AND APPOINTMENTS

Mr. R. M. Cherry, from short leave, has gone supply third engineer officer, Kwangchow.

Mr. I. Robertson, chief engineer officer, Kiungchow, has gone chief engineer officer, Fatsan.

Mr. C. M. Stuart, chief engineer officer, Fatsan, has gone chief engineer officer, Kiungchow.

Mr. R. Richardson, supply third engineer officer, Kwangchow, is on short leave.

Mr. B. J. Mellett, supply third engineer officer, from reserve, has gone supply third engineer officer, Taiyuan.

Mr. J. P. Hume, supply third engineer officer, from reserve, has gone supply third engineer officer, Taming.

Mr. C. W. Bainbridge, second engineer officer, Antung, is on short leave.

Mr. J. W. E. Tonkin, supply second engineer officer, from reserve, has gone second engineer officer, Antung.

Mr. A. MacDonald, acting second engineer officer, Szechuen, is on short leave.

Mr. B. A. Davies, supply second engineer officer, from reserve, has gone second engineer officer, Szechuen.

Mr. J. D. Craig, chief engineer officer, Tsinan, has gone supply chief engineer officer, Wanshan.

Mr. W. Anderson, chief engineer officer, Wantung, has gone chief engineer officer, Tsinan.

Capt. R. H. G. Ashby, from reserve, has gone command, Antung.

Mr. J. G. Lincoln, supply second officer, Kiungchow, has gone third officer, Antung.

Capt. E. Johnson, of the Kiating, has gone command, Changsha.

Capt. J. H. Hodgkiss, of the Changsha, has gone command, Kiating.

Mr. C. Johnson, supply chief officer, Wantung, has gone supply chief officer, Kiating.

Capt. R. Umpleby, from in transit, has gone command, Hain Peking.

Capt. F. N. Booth, supply master, Hain Peking, has gone command, Shantung.

Capt. Y. N. Campbell, of the Shantung, has gone supply master, Wanshan.

Mr. D. L. Edwards, supply second officer, Wanshan, has gone second officer, Chekiang.

Mr. W. R. Kirkland, second officer, Chekiang, has gone supply second officer, Wanshan.

Capt. W. L. Shinn, from home leave, has gone command, Ngankin.

Capt. J. Legge, from home leave, has gone supply master, Wantung.

Capt. A. Cook, from home leave, has gone supply master, Wanshan.

Mr. G. E. Judge, supply second engineer officer, from short leave, has gone supply second engineer officer, Wanshan.

Capt. A. D. Kelman, of the Hangsang, has gone command, Hinsang.

Capt. R. Hughes, of the Hinsang, has gone command, Yuensang.

Capt. J. W. Pettigrew, of the Yuensang, is on reserve.

Mr. A. Pittendridge, from home leave, has gone chief officer, Yuensang.

Mr. R. J. Thomson, chief officer, Yuensang, is on reserve.

Mr. J. Adam, from reserve, has gone third engineer officer, Chak-sang.

Mr. D. W. Pollock, third engineer officer, Chak-sang, is on reserve.

Mr. H. M. Neilson, from reserve, has gone chief officer, Kutwo.

Mr. F. H. Davies, acting chief officer, Kutwo, has gone second officer, the same ship.

Capt. D. Petrick, of the Ting-sang, is on reserve.

Capt. J. W. Pettigrew, from reserve, has gone command, Tingsang.

CLEARANCES

January 28.

Arizona Maru, for Singapore, Benrimas, for Shanghai.

Carthage, for Singapore, Cremer, for Singapore.

Fooshing, for Canton, General Pershing, for Manila.

Glenfior, for Shanghai, Haiyang, for Swatow.

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